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ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE TOWN OF
MERRIMACK
NEW HAMPSHIRE
INCLUDING THE VITAL STATISTICS
For the Year Ending December 31, 1966
THE REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD
For the Year Ending June 30, 1966

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Representatives to General Court

HERSCHEL W. COX
JOHN W. WRIGHT, JR.

Moderator

EDWARD J. HASELTINE

Town Clerk

CLAUDE M. MAKER

Town Treasurer

MILDRED F. MORRILL

Selectmen

HAROLD V. BUKER	Term expires 1967
EDWARD J. HASELTINE	Term expires 1968
DAVID E. PICKERING	Term expires 1969

Trustees of Trust Funds

HAROLD V. BUKER	Term expires 1967
FLORENCE RICHARDSON	Term expires 1968
GEORGE M. GREENLEAF	Term expires 1969

Supervisors of Check List

BARBARA WRIGHT	Term expires Nov. 1968
JEAN G. WESTON	Term expires Nov. 1970
RUSSELL L. LUKER	Term expires Nov. 1972

Road Agent

EDGAR THIBÓDEAU

Tax Collector

CLAUDE M. MAKER

Police Department

Chief, JOHN R. WILDERS, JR.

Regular Officers

ALBERT O. CHAREST

ROGER R. LEVESQUE

Special Officers

SGT. CHARLES E. BUKER

DET. SGT. ARTHUR TIMMINS

WALTER FARIOLE

BETTY RAYMOND

HAROLD FLANDERS

EDWARD A. RENAUD

PHILIP HAMEL

GERARD THERRIAULT

ARTHUR VACHON

Fire Department

Chief, GEORGE J. ALLGAIER

Deputy Chief, EARL BISHOP

Asst. Deputy Chief, J. FRANK HALL

Captain, ARTHUR BURGESS, JR.

1st. Lt., FAY READ

Captain, HERBERT DUXBURY

2nd Lt., ARTHUR KENT

Captain, ARNOLD HEATH

2nd Lt., CHARLES WARREN

Clerk, ARLEN JARRY

Treas., ARNOLD HEATH

Forest Fire Warden

CLARENCE P. WORSTER

Deputy Wardens

GEORGE J. ALLGAIER

WILLIAM BUTLER

GILBERT BEARD

J. FRANK HALL

EARL BISHOP

ARNOLD HEATH

EDGAR THIBODEAU

Library Trustees

CHARLES BICKFORD

Term expires 1967

IRVING MOWER

Term expires 1968

FRANKLIN L. HASELTINE

Term expires 1969

Overseer of Poor
HAROLD V. BUKER

Librarian
BEULAH M. HASELTINE

Assistants
IVY E. KENT
RHODA CROSS
ADELINE ODERMATT
JEANNETTE PRICE
JEAN WESTON

Helper
EVELYN HUBER

Janitor Town Hall
CLARENCE WORSTER

Sexton of Cemeteries
FRANCIS W. BEAN

Budget Committee
ARTHUR P. BRUCE
THOMAS DUTTON
J. WILSON FRENCH
FRANKLIN L. HASELTINE
GERARD R. LAVIGNE
HAROLD L. THRESHER
EDWIN J. WOODWARD

Health Officer
LUTHER A. MARCH, M. D., Nashua, N. H.

Civil Defense Director
FRED W. MORIARTY

Ballot Inspectors
PATRICIA COLBURNE
ELEANOR FLANDERS
LUCILLE LIBERTY
CLAYTON MOORE
PATRICIA MORRILL
BETTY MORTON
Term Expires Oct. 1968
Term Expires Oct. 1968
Term Expires Oct. 1968
Term Expires Oct. 1968
Term Expires Oct. 1968
Term Expires Oct. 1968

Planning Board
HAROLD V. BUKER, Ex-Officio
CLARENCE W. FARR
MORRIS LIFFMAN
HERBERT L. DUXBURY**
RALPH H. WOOD
CLAYTON L. MOORE
GORDON H. JOHNSTONE, Ch.
Term Expires March, 1967
Term Expires April 1, 1967
Term Expires April 1, 1968
Term Expires April 1, 1969
Term Expires April 1, 1969
Term Expires April 1, 1970
Term Expires April 1, 1971

**Resigned. Leonard E. Welch appointed to serve unexpired term.

TOWN WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Merrimack in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Merrimack High School Auditorium in said Merrimack on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March, next at six of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To choose all necessary School District Officers for the year ensuing.

3. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

- a. Town Officers' Salaries
- b. Town Officers' Expenses
- c. Election and Registration Expenses
- d. Municipal Court Expenses
- e. Town Hall Expenses
- f. Employees' Retirement and Social Security
- g. Police Department
- h. Fire Department
- i. Insurance
- j. Planning and Zoning
- k. Civil Defense
- l. Health Department
- m. Sewer Maintenance
- n. Town Dump Maintenance
- o. Town Highway Maintenance: Summer, Winter
- p. Street Lighting
- q. Town Road Aid
- r. Library
- s. Town Poor
- t. Old Age Assistance
- u. Memorial Day
- v. Parks and Playgrounds
- w. Cemeteries
- x. Interest on Temporary Loans
- y. New Equipment — Highway
- z. County Tax
- aa. School Tax

4. To see if the Town will vote to establish a town Conservation Commission as set forth in New Hampshire Statutes, R. S. A. 36-A (By Petition)

5. To see if the Town will vote to install a street light at the corner of Front Street North, in Reeds Ferry. (By Petition)

6. To see if the Town will vote to acquire property rights and to add ten feet in width to the North side of the bridge located on Naticook Brook on Amherst Road, Thorntons Ferry, New Hampshire. (By Petition)

7. To see if the Town will vote to regulate the registration and appraisal of mobile homes by enacting resolutions that shall read as follows:

1. Mobile Homes — Registration

(a) Each mobile home park owner shall maintain a register for the registration of all mobile homes, which register shall include the following information in addition to any other facts that may be requested by the Town Selectmen.

(1) Name and address of each occupant of a mobile home

(2) Trailer license number

(3) Model and full name of trailer

(4) Year manufactured

(5) Serial number

(6) Body length

(7) Over-all length

(8) Number or location of assigned site

(9) Additional outbuildings

(b) It shall be the duty of each mobile home park owner to furnish a copy of the registration and information set forth in section (a) to the office of the Town Selectmen of the Town of Merrimack.

II. Mobile Homes — Appraisal

The Selectmen shall appraise all mobile homes at their full and true value in money as they would appraise the same in payment of a just debt due from a solvent debtor, and it is suggested that they refer to the **Official Mobile Homes Market Report** (Blue Book) whenever possible as a guide in making the above determination. (By Petition)

8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a special committee to study the municipal communications needs of Merrimack and report its findings at the next Annual Town Meeting.

9. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$75,000.00 for the preparation, final design, and specifications for the sewer system and to issue serial notes or bonds upon the credit of the Town; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to determine the terms and conditions upon which the notes or bonds shall be issued including their sale and the time and place of payment of interest and principal, in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act, R. S. A. Chapter 33 and any amendments thereto.

10. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to conduct a complete revaluation of all taxable property in Merrimack and make the necessary appropriation therefor.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 for White Pine Blister Rust control.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for the Merrimack Valley Region Association.

13. To see what action the Town will take regarding the acceptance of new streets.

14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the appointment of a dog officer and make any necessary appropriation in connection therewith.

15. To see if the Town will vote to accept trust funds offered to the Town.

16. To see if the Town will vote to continue the 20-cent penalty on Poll Taxes not paid on or before September 1st.

17. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting and take any action relating thereto including the making of appropriations to cover the same.

POLLS FOR VOTING WILL BE OPEN FROM SIX O' CLOCK IN THE MORNING UNTIL SIX-THIRTY O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING.

ARTICLES OF THE WARRANT WILL BE TAKEN UP BEGINNING AT 7:30 P. M.

Given under our hands and seal, this ninth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-seven.

HAROLD V. BUKER

E. J. HASELTINE

DAVID E. PICKERING

Selectmen of Merrimack

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

HAROLD V. BUKER

E. J. HASELTINE

DAVID E. PICKERING

Selectmen of Merrimack

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF MERRIMACK, NEW HAMPSHIRE

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1966	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1966	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1967
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 5,006.13	\$ 4,500.00
Railroad Tax		242.42	150.00
Savings Bank Tax	1,000.00	1,324.62	1,200.00
For Fighting Forest Fires		338.01	150.00
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance		46.82	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	1,000.00	1,632.50	1,200.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	1,800.00	3,953.00	3,000.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	1,200.00	3,730.15	3,000.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	100.00	300.00	200.00
Income from Trust Funds		557.96	500.00
Income of Departments:			
(a) Highway, including rental of equipment		1,750.37	800.00
(b) Grader Rental		776.30	500.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	35,000.00	49,226.99	45,000.00
Sale of Town Property		160.00	
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes — Regular @ \$2		2,506.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes		45.00	
Yield Taxes		464.39	
TOTAL REVENUE FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$ 43,600.00	\$ 72,060.66	\$ 60,200.00

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1966	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1966	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1967
General Government:			
Town Officer's Salaries	\$ 13,800.00	\$ 17,567.10	\$ 20,000.00
Town Officer's Expenses	2,500.00	3,794.06	3,500.00
Election and Registration Expenses	1,200.00	1,922.36	600.00
Municipal and District Court Expenses	1,000.00	1,064.00	1,900.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	2,500.00	3,377.88	2,500.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	1,800.00	2,463.79	3,000.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	22,600.00	24,230.81	29,000.00
Fire Department	7,700.00	8,488.29	8,000.00
Moth Exterm.— Blister Rust & Care of Trees	150.00	150.00	
Insurance	1,400.00	1,681.63	1,600.00
Planning and Zoning	500.00	876.76	500.00
Damage by Dogs		30.00	
Damages and Legal Expenses		261.97	
Civil Defense			500.00
Health:			
Health Dept., Incl. Hospitals	500.00	1,068.00	500.00
Sewer Maintenance	1,000.00	731.80	1,000.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance—Summer	33,000.00	33,357.58	37,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	20,000.00	22,046.36	20,000.00
Street Lighting	3,900.00	4,107.32	6,000.00
Town Road Aid	1,340.40	1,340.40	1,331.32
Libraries	5,600.00	5,600.00	6,000.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor		777.49	1,000.00
Old Age Assistance	2,500.00	4,064.76	4,000.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	150.00	164.00	150.00
Recreation:			
Parks and Playground, Incl. Band Concerts	350.00	465.00	450.00

Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	1,200.00	679.78	800.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	1,200.00	1,046.32	1,200.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Twin Bridges	1,000.00	91.00	
New Equipment — Highway	900.00	1,370.00	900.00
County Taxes	30,880.60	30,880.60	
School Taxes	532,295.26	135,000.00	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>\$695,966.26</u>	<u>\$212,699.06</u>	<u>\$156,431.32</u>

ARTHUR BRUCE
 GERARD R. LAVIGNE
 THOMAS A. DUTTON
 J. WILSON FRENCH
 EDWIN J. WOODWARD
 FRANKLIN L. HASELTINE
 HAROLD L. THRESHER

TAX YEAR 1966

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Lands and Buildings		\$7,775,695.00
Factory Buildings & Land		162,650.00
Factory Machinery		229,160.00
Public Utilities:		
Electric		390,900.00
Stock in Trade of Merchants		65,060.00
Stock in Trade of Manufacturers		135,315.00
Boats and Launches, 25		1,935.00
Neat Stock and Poultry:		
Dairy Cows, 114		9,305.00
Poultry, 26,138		7,175.00
Gasoline Pumps & Tanks		9,570.00
Road Building and		
Construction Machinery		1,650.00
Total Valuation Before		
Exemptions Allowed		\$8,788,415.00
War Service Exemptions	\$446,830.00	
Neatstock Exemptions	3,975.00	
Poultry Exemptions	820.00	
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Total Exemptions Allowed		\$ 451,625.00
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Net Valuation On Which		
Tax Rate Is Computed		\$8,336,790.00

HAROLD V. BUKER
E. J. HASELTINE
DAVID E. PICKERING
Selectmen of Merrimack

**STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS
AND TAXES ASSESSED FOR THE TAX YEAR 1966**

APPROPRIATIONS:

1. Town Officers Salaries		\$ 13,800.00
2. Town Office Administrative Expenses		2,500.00
3. Election and Registration Expenses		1,200.00
4. Municipal Court Expenses		1,000.00
5. Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance		2,500.00
6. Social Security and Retirement Contributions		1,800.00
7. Police Department		22,600.00
10. Fire Dep't.		7,700.00
11. Blister Rust — Moth Extermination and Care of Trees		150.00
12. Insurance		1,400.00
13. Planning and Zoning		500.00
15. New Record System		3,500.00
16. Health Dep't.		500.00
18. Sewers		1,000.00
19. Dump		5,000.00
20. Town Maintenance:		
Summer	\$ 33,000.00	
Winter	20,000.00	
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21. Street Lighting		3,900.00
23. Town Road Aid		1,340.40
24. Libraries		5,600.00
25. Old Age Assistance		2,500.00
27. Memorial Day, Vet. Assoc., Old Home Day		150.00
28. Parks and Playgrounds inc. Band Concerts		350.00
30. Cemeteries		1,200.00
37. New Equipment		900.00
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Total Town Appropriations		\$134,090.40

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:

49. Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 5,000.13	
50. Railroad Tax	242.42	
51. Savings Bank Tax	1,324.62	
55. Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	386.99	
56. Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	1,800.00	
57. Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	2,200.00	
58. Dog Licenses	1,200.00	
59. Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	40,000.00	
60. Rent of Town Property and Equipment	150.00	
63. Fines and Forfeits — Municipal Court	2,500.00	
66. National Bank Stock Taxes	45.00	
67. Poll Taxes at \$2.00 Number 1884	3,768.00	
70. Surplus	10,000.00	
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Total Revenues and Credits		\$ 68,817.16
Net Town Appropriations		65,273.24
Net School Appropriations		532,295.26
County Tax Assessment		30,880.60
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Total of Town, School and County Overlay		\$628,449.10 5,146.94
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Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes		\$633,596.04
Taxes to be committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes	\$633,596.04	
Poll Taxes at \$2.00	3,768.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	45.00	
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Total Taxes to be committed		\$637,409.04
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Tax Rate Approved by Tax Comm.		\$ 7.60

HAROLD V. BUKER
E. J. HASELTINE
DAVID E. PICKERING
Selectmen of Merrimack

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS INCOME AND EXPENDITURES

	Appropriations	Income	Total Available	Expended	Balance Plus or Minus
Town Officers Salaries	\$ 13,800.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 14,300.00	\$ 17,576.10	—\$ 3,276.10
Town Officers Expenses	2,500.00		2,500.00	3,794.06	— 1,294.06
Election and Registration	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,922.36	— 722.36
Town Hall and Other Buildings	2,500.00	300.00	2,800.00	3,377.88	— 577.88
Municipal Court Expenses	1,000.00	3,730.15	4,730.15	1,064.00	+ 3,666.15
Police Department	22,600.00	772.60	23,372.60	24,230.81	— 858.21
Fire Department	7,700.00	400.13	8,100.13	8,488.29	— 388.16
Insurance	1,400.00		1,400.00	1,681.63	— 281.63
Civil Defense	—	—	—	—	—
Health Department	500.00	611.00	1,111.00	1,068.00	+ 43.00
Sewer Maintenance	1,000.00		1,000.00	731.80	+ 268.20
Town Dump	5,000.00		5,000.00	5,000.00	—
Highways and Bridges:					
Winter	20,000.00	60.00	20,060.00	22,046.36	— 1,986.36
Summer	33,000.00	1,690.37	34,690.37	33,357.58	+ 1,332.79
Street Lighting	3,900.00		3,900.00	4,107.32	— 207.32
Town Road Aid	1,340.40		1,340.40	1,340.40	—
Libraries	5,600.00		5,600.00	5,600.00	—
Memorial Day	150.00		150.00	164.00	— 14.00
Town Poor			1,000.00*	777.49	+ 222.51
Old Age Assistance	2,500.00	46.82	2,546.82	4,064.76	— 1,517.94
Parks and Playgrounds	350.00		350.00	465.00	— 115.00
Cemeteries	800.00	400.00*	1,200.00	524.91	+ 675.09
Interest Temporary Loans	1,200.00	62.33	1,262.33	1,046.32	+ 216.01

Twin Bridges	1,000.00			1,000.00	91.00	+	909.00
New Equipment - Highway	900.00			900.00	1,370.00	-	470.00
White Pine Blister Rust	150.00	1.05		151.05	150.00	+	1.05
Social Security and Retirement	1,800.00			1,800.00	2,463.79	-	663.79
Federal Urban Planning				4,000.00*		+	4,000.00
School Department	532,295.26			532,295.26	135,000.00	+	397,295.26
County Tax	30,880.60			30,880.60	30,880.60	+	—
Zoning	500.00	300.00		800.00	876.76	-	76.76
Office Equipment and Systems	3,500.00			3,500.00	2,643.58	+	856.42
Cemetery Water Installation	400.00			400.00	154.87	+	245.13**

*Balance Previous Years

**Due Cemetery Association

FINANCIAL REPORT
of the Town of Merrimack in Hillsborough County
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1966

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the Date; January 18, 1967

HAROLD V. BUKER
E. J. HASELTINE
DAVID E. PICKERING
Selectmen
MILDRED F. MORRILL
Treasurer

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$310,767.79
Capital Reserve Funds:	
Sewer Fund	3,120.87
Grader Fund	8,775.43
Twin Bridge Fund	4,728.21
Unredeemed taxes:	
Levy of 1965	2,228.62
Levy of 1964	2,836.54
Previous Years	1,675.67
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1966	125,526.53
Levy of 1965	44.96
Levy of 1964	504.23
State Head Taxes — Levy of 1966	3,894.40
 Total Assets	 <hr/> \$464,103.25
 Grand Total	 \$464,103.25
Surplus, December 31, 1965	26,186.76
Surplus, December 31, 1966	30,241.84

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Office Equip.	1,000.00
Grader Account	5,000.00
Twin Bridge Account	909.00
Cemetery Association	1,075.09
Sewer Reserve Fund	1,268.20

Due to State:

State Head Taxes — 1966 (Uncollected)	3,894.40
Yield Tax — Bond & Debt Retirement (Uncollected)	94.95
Urban Planning Project Fund	4,000.00
New Equipment	1,200.00

Due to School Districts:

Balance of School Tax	397,295.26
Civil Defense	1,500.00
Capital Reserve Funds:	16,624.51

Total Liabilities	<u>433,861.41</u>
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Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	30,241.84
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Grand Total	<u>\$464,103.25</u>
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UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION **Receipts and Payments**

Receipts

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

1. Property Taxes and Boat taxes — Current Year 1966	\$506,646.67
2. Poll Taxes — Current Year — 1966	2,506.00
3. National Bank Stock Taxes — 1966	45.00
4. Yield Taxes — 1966	464.39
5. State Head Taxes at \$5 — 1966	8,265.60
6. Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted	517,927.66
7. Property Taxes and Yield Taxes — Previous Years	93,404.06
8. Poll Taxes — Previous Years	968.00
9. State Head Taxes at \$5 Previous Years	3,230.00
10. Interest received on Taxes	2,342.71
11. Penalties on State Head Taxes	348.00
12. Tax sales redeemed	6,420.24
From State:	
14. Interest and dividends tax	5,000.13
15. Railroad Tax	242.42
16. Savings Bank Tax and Building and Loan Association Tax	1,324.62
21. Fighting forest fires	338.01
23. Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	46.82
Blister Rust Refund	1.05
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:	
25. Dog Licenses	1,632.50
26. Business licenses, permits and filing fees	3,953.00
27. Fines and forfeits, municipal court	3,730.15
28. Rent of town property	300.00
30. Income from trust funds	557.96
31. Income from departments	5,902.31
34. Motor vehicle permits:	
1965	\$ 1,597.85
1966	47,629.14
	49,226.99

Total Current Revenue Receipts	\$696,896.63
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Receipts Other than Current Revenue:	
35. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$100,000.00
39. Refunds	137.41
41. New Trust Funds received during year	100.00
42. Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds — Transfer	5,000.00
43. Sale of town property	160.00
New Fund	15,000.00
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Total Receipts from All Sources	\$817,294.04
Cash on hand January 1, 1966	154,186.65
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Grand Total	\$971,480.69

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

1. Town officer's salaries	\$ 17,576.10
2. Town officer's expenses	3,794.06
3. Election and registration expenses	1,922.36
4. Municipal and District Court expenses	1,064.00
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings	3,377.88

Protection of Persons and Property:

7. Police Department	24,230.81
9. Fire department, including forest fires	8,488.29
10. Moth extermination — Blister Rust and Care of Trees	150.00
11. Planning and Zoning	876.76
12. Damage by Dogs	30.00
13. Insurance	1,681.63
15. Bounties	1.00

Health:

16. Health department, including hospitals	1,068.00
18. Sewer maintenance	731.80
19. Town dumps and garbage removal	5,000.00

Highways and Bridges:

20. Town Road Aid	1,340.40
21. Town Maintenance	
Summer	\$ 33,357.58
Winter	22,046.36

55,403.94

22. Street lighting	4,107.32
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Libraries:

24. Libraries	5,600.00
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Public Welfare:

25. Old age assistance	4,064.76
26. Town poor	777.49

Patriotic Purposes:

28. Memorial Day, Veterans' Associations and Old Home Day	164.00
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Recreation:

30. Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	465.00
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Public Service Enterprises:

32. Cemeteries, including hearse hire	679.78
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Unclassified:

34. Damages and legal expenses	261.97
35. Deposit on Land	100.00
36. Taxes bought by town	6,155.22
37. Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	671.03
38. Employees' Retirement and Social Security	2,463.80

Total Current Maintenance Expenses	\$152,247.40
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Interest:

39. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	1,046.32
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Total Interest Payments	\$ 1,046.32
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Outlay for New Construction, Equipment and
Permanent Improvements:

44. Highways and Bridges — Town construction Ball Field	851.00
45. Office Equipment and Systems	2,643.58
46. Industrial Com. Chamber of Commerce	1,150.00
47. Grader Expense	703.96
50. New equipment (Highway — \$1,370.00)	1,370.00

Total Outlay Payments	\$ 6,718.54
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Building Inspector	3,270.54
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52. Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	100,000.00
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55. Payments to capital reserve funds	17,647.57
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56. Payments to trustees of trust funds (New Funds)	100.00
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Total Indebtedness Payments	\$121,018.11
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Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

57. State Head Taxes paid State Treas. (1966 Taxes \$6,917.04) (Prior Yrs. \$2,915.50)	9,832.54
58. Payments to State a/c Yield Tax Debt Retirement	187.00
59. Taxes paid to County	30,880.60
60. State: Boat Reports	28.00
61. Payments to School Districts (1965 Tax \$203,743.39) (1966 Tax \$135,000.00)	338,754.39
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions	<u>\$379,682.39</u>
Total Payments for all Purposes	<u>\$660,712.90</u>
Cash on hand December 31, 1966	\$310,767.79
Grand Total	\$971,480.69

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

1. Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 25,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	11,000.00
2. Libraries, Lands and Buildings	50,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	3,000.00
3. Police Department	
Equipment	5,000.00
4. Fire Department Lands and Buildings	30,000.00
Equipment	61,000.00
5. Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	
Equipment	30,000.00
6. Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	1,500.00
9. Schools, Lands and Buildings	1,200,000.00
Equipment	75,000.00
12. Gravel Bank	3,000.00
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Total	\$1,494,500.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

DOG LICENSES:

Issued	326	at	\$2.00	\$	652.00
	4	at	2.50		10.00
	130	at	3.00		390.00
	58	at	5.00		290.00
	1	at	5.50		5.50
	34	at	6.00		204.00
	3	at	12.00		36.00
	1	at	20.00		20.00
	1	at	25.00		25.00
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					\$ 1,632.50

Cr.

Paid Treasurer \$ 1,632.50

AUTO PERMITS:

1965	169	\$	1,597.85
1966	3,672		47,629.14
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			\$ 49,226.99

Cr.

Paid Treasurer \$ 49,226.99

IT IS REQUESTED THAT APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION PERMITS BE MADE AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE TO RELIEVE THE LAST-MINUTE RUSH AT THIS OFFICE. IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO PRESENT POLL AND HEAD TAX RECEIPTS, AND THE REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE FOR THE VEHICLE OR VEHICLES TO BE REGISTERED IN ORDER TO OBTAIN A REGISTRATION PERMIT.

TOWN OF MERRIMACK

December 31, 1966

To Claude M. Maker, Town Clerk:

Salary	\$	100.00	
Issued 558 Dog Licenses @ .25		139.50	
Issued 3841 Auto Permits @ .50		1,920.50	
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	\$		2,160.00

OFFICE HOURS

Town Clerk — Tax Collector

Selectmen's Office

TOWN HALL

MONDAY 9:30 A. M. - 4:30 P. M.
7:00 P. M. - 9:00 P. M.**

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY,
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY 9:30 A. M. - 4:30 P. M.

SATURDAY CLOSED ALL DAY

** SUMMER SCHEDULE: 1st and 3rd Monday Evenings
only, 7:00 to 9:00 P. M., except on holidays.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL, YIELD, AND BOAT TAXES

Levy of 1965

— Dr. —

Uncollected taxes as of January 1, 1966:

Property taxes	\$93,230.39	
Poll taxes	852.00	
Yield taxes	16.51	
Boat taxes	85.75	
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		\$ 94,184.65

Added taxes:

Property taxes	\$ 1,263.56	
Poll taxes	254.00	
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		\$ 1,517.56

Tax Sale:

Cost before & at Sale	\$ 225.95	
Cost & Interest after Sale	45.06	
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		\$ 271.01

Interest:

Property taxes	\$ 2,144.90	
Poll taxes	112.07	
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		\$ 2,256.97

Total Debits	<hr/> \$ 98,230.19
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— Cr. —

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property taxes	\$ 93,192.03	
Poll taxes	964.00	
Boat taxes	55.32	
	<hr/>	\$ 94,211.35

Interest:

Property taxes	\$ 2,144.90	
Poll taxes	112.07	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,256.97

Abatements:

Property taxes	\$ 1,301.92	
Poll taxes	142.00	
Boat taxes	1.98	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,445.90

Tax Sale:

Cost before & at Sale	\$ 225.95	
Costs & Interest after Sale	45.06	
	<hr/>	\$ 271.01

Uncollected taxes:

Yield taxes	\$ 16.51	
Boat taxes	28.45	
	<hr/>	\$ 44.96

Total Credits	<hr/>	\$ 98,230.19
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SUMMARY OF WARRANT PROPERTY, POLL, YIELD, AND BOAT TAXES

Levy of 1964

— Dr. —

Uncollected taxes as of January 1, 1966:

Property taxes	\$	180.17
Yield taxes		193.80
Boat taxes		119.24

\$ 493.21

Added taxes:

Poll taxes	\$	4.00
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\$ 4.00

Interest:

Poll taxes	\$.60
Yield taxes		6.42

\$ 7.02

Total Debits

\$ 504.23

— Cr. —

Remittances to Treasurer:

Poll taxes	\$	4.00
Yield taxes		88.80
Boat taxes		66.05

\$ 158.85

Interest:

Poll taxes	\$.60
Yield taxes		6.42

\$ 7.02

Abatements:

Boat taxes	\$	1.43
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\$ 1.43

Uncollected taxes:

Property taxes:	\$	180.17
Yield taxes		105.00
Boat taxes		51.76

\$ 504.23

SUMMARY OF WARRANT PROPERTY, POLL, YIELD, AND BOAT TAXES

Levy of 1963

— Dr. —

Uncollected taxes as of January 1, 1966:

Boat taxes	\$ 284.39	
Total Debits		\$ 284.39

— Cr. —

Remittances to Treasurer:

Boat taxes	\$ 1.86	
		\$ 1.86

Abatements:

Boat taxes	\$ 282.53	
		\$ 282.53

Total Credits		\$ 284.39
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**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL, YIELD, AND BOAT TAXES**

Levy of 1959

	— Dr. —	
Uncollected as of January 1, 1966:		
Yield taxes	\$	46.78
	— Cr. —	
Abatements:		
Yield taxes	\$	46.78

Levy of 1958

	— Dr. —	
Uncollected as of January 1, 1966:		
Yield taxes	\$	4.80
	— Cr. —	
Abatements:		
Yield taxes	\$	4.80

Levy of 1957

	— Dr. —	
Uncollected as of January 1, 1966:		
Yield taxes	\$	75.60
	— Cr. —	
Abatements:		
Yield taxes	\$	75.60

Levy of 1955

	— Dr. —	
Uncollected as of January 1, 1966:		
Yield taxes	\$	77.54
	— Cr. —	
Abatements:		
Yield taxes	\$	77.54

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

— Dr. —

Levy of	1965	1964	1963	1962	1961	1960	1959	1957	1955
Taxes sold to Town during current year									
Bal. of unredeemed									
33 Taxes Jan. 1, 1966		\$4,441.05	\$765.69	\$293.39	\$401.31	\$414.68	\$3.70	\$128.04	\$ 59.24
33 Interest and Fees Collected	42.45	124.10	55.82			30.74			43.85
Total Debits	\$6,070.42	\$4,565.15	\$821.51	\$293.39	\$401.31	\$445.42	\$3.70	\$128.04	\$103.09

— Cr. —

Remittances to									
Treasurer	\$3,799.35	\$1,604.51	\$348.85			\$ 85.38			\$ 59.24
Interest & Fees	42.45	124.10	55.82			30.74			43.85
Unredeemed Taxes	2,228.62	2,836.54	416.84	\$293.39	\$401.31	329.30	\$3.70	\$128.04	—
Total credits	\$6,070.42	\$4,565.15	\$821.51	\$293.39	\$401.31	\$445.42	\$3.70	\$128.04	\$103.09

SUMMARY OF WARRANT PROPERTY, POLL, AND YIELD TAXES

Levy of 1966

— Dr. —

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property taxes	\$633,228.82	
Poll taxes	3,768.00	
Yield taxes	464.39	
Sewer taxes	230.00	
Nat'l Bank Stock taxes	45.00	
Boat taxes	147.06	
		\$637,883.27

Added taxes:

Property taxes	\$ 1,640.26	
Poll taxes	44.00	
		1,684.26

Interest Collected:

Property taxes	\$ 9.88	
Poll taxes	68.84	
		78.72

Over-payment on Poll Tax	\$ 2.00	
		2.00

Total Debits		\$639,648.25
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— Cr. —

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property taxes	\$506,527.73	
Poll taxes	2,506.00	
Yield taxes	464.39	
Boat taxes	118.94	
Nat'l Bank Stock taxes	45.00	
	<hr/>	\$509,662.06

Interest & Penalties:

Property taxes	\$ 9.88	
Poll taxes	68.84	
	<hr/>	78.72

Abatements allowed:

Property taxes	\$ 4,325.34	
Poll taxes	48.00	
Boat taxes	7.60	
	<hr/>	4,380.94

Uncollected Taxes:

Property taxes	\$124,246.01	
Poll taxes	1,260.00	
Boat taxes	20.52	
	<hr/>	125,526.53
Total Credits		<hr/> \$639,648.25

STATE HEAD TAXES

— Dr. —

Levy of	1966	1965	1964
Warrant	\$ 12,155.00		
Uncollected 1-1-66		\$ 2,845.00	\$
Added Taxes	120.00	770.00	15.00
Penalties	27.00	320.00	1.00
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Total Debits	\$ 12,302.00	\$ 3,935.00	\$ 16.00

— Cr. —

Remittances to			
Treasurer	\$ 8,265.60	\$ 3,215.00	\$ 15.00
Penalties	27.00	320.00	1.00
Abatements Allowed	115.00	400.00	
Uncollected	3,894.40		
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Total Credits	\$ 12,302.00	\$ 3,935.00	\$ 16.00

**TREASURER'S REPORT
TOWN OF MERRIMACK
CASH RECEIPTS**

January 1, 1966 - December 31, 1966

Received from Claude M. Maker, Tax Collector:

HEAD TAXES AND PENALTIES:

1966 Tax	\$ 8,265.60
1966 Penalties	27.00
1965 Tax	3,215.00
1965 Penalties	320.00
1964 Tax	15.00
1964 Penalties	1.00

\$ 11,843.60

POLL TAXES, INTEREST AND PENALTIES:

1966 Tax	\$ 2,506.00
1966 Interest and Penalties	68.84
1965 Tax	964.00
1965 Interest and Penalties	112.07
1964 Tax	4.00
1964 Interest and Penalties	.60

\$ 3,655.51

PROPERTY TAXES AND INTEREST:

1966 Tax	\$506,527.73
1966 Interest	9.88
1965 Tax	93,192.03
1965 Interest	2,144.90
1966 Tax Sale Redeemed Tax	3,799.35
1966 Tax Sale Costs Before and at Sale	225.95
1966 Tax Sale Interest and Costs After Sale	42.45
1965 Tax Sale Redeemed Tax	1,483.67
1965 Tax Sale Interest After Sale	112.83
1964 Tax Sale Redeemed Tax	469.69
1964 Tax Sale Interest After Sale	67.09
1961 Tax Sale Redeemed Tax	85.38
1961 Tax Sale Interest After Sale	30.74
1956 Tax Sale Redeemed Tax	59.24
1956 Tax Sale Interest After Sale	43.85

\$608,294.78

NATIONAL BANK STOCK TAXES:

1966		\$	45.00
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YIELD TAX AND INTEREST:

1966 Yield Tax	\$	464.39	
1964 Yield Tax		88.80	
1964 Yield Tax Interest		6.42	
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	\$		559.61

BOAT TAXES:

1966 Tax	\$	118.94	
1965 Tax		55.32	
1964 Tax		66.05	
1963 Tax		1.86	
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	\$		242.17

Received from Claude M. Maker, Clerk:

AUTO PERMITS:

1966 Registration - 3672 Permits	\$	47,629.14	
1965 Registration - 169 Permits		1,597.85	
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	\$		49,226.99

DOG LICENSES:

1966 Licenses	\$	1,372.00	
1966 Penalties		164.00	
1966 Kennels		81.00	
1965 Licenses		13.00	
1965 Penalties		2.50	
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	\$		1,632.50

RECEIVED FROM SELECTMEN:

Ambulance	\$	611.00	
Building Permits		3,567.00	
Beano Licenses		180.00	
Hall Rent		300.00	
Junk Yard Licenses		175.00	
Filing Fees		31.00	
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	\$		4,864.00

RECEIVED FROM FIRE DEPARTMENT:

Forest Fire Recovery	\$	338.01	
Public Service Co. - Refund		31.06	
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	\$		369.07

RECEIVED FROM HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:

Use of Equipment, Labor, Oil, Sand, Cold Patch, Insurance and Social Security:			
Merrimack Village District	\$	20.30	
Dana Patterson		1,083.91	
Sanfax Corp. - Credit		21.35	
Merrimack Hardware Inc.		110.35	
Reeds Ferry Water & Sewer District		55.73	
N. E. Pole & Wood Treating Corp.		65.50	
Nicholas Pirog		46.52	
Edgar Thibodeau		264.15	
Claude M. Maker		22.56	
U. S. Government - Plowing Snow		60.00	
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	\$		1,750.37

RECEIVED FROM GRADER RENTAL:

Dana Patterson	\$	153.30	
James F. Farrar		21.00	
State of New Hampshire		48.00	
N. E. Pole & Wood Treating Corp.		40.00	
Hume Pipe of N. E.		44.00	
Sonny D Construction		21.00	
James Bigwood		21.00	
Edgar Thibodeau		398.00	
Associated Properties		30.00	
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	\$		776.30

RECEIVED FROM POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Mary Moriarty - Photos	\$	2.00	
Allstate Insurance Co. - Photos		7.00	
Bicycle Registrations		103.60	
Guard Duty		660.00	
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	\$		772.60

RECEIVED FROM STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE:

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$	5,000.13	
Railroad Tax (1964)		242.42	
Savings Bank Tax		1,324.62	
OAA RECOVERY		46.82	
White Pine Blister Rust —			
Refund on Appropriation		1.05	
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	\$		6,615.04

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE TRUST FUNDS:

Leroy & Myrel Chase	\$	100.00
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MUNICIPAL COURT:

Court Fines, Small Claim Fees, Execution Fees	\$	3,730.15
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SECOND NATIONAL BANK:

Short Term Notes	\$100,000.00
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SALE OF TOWN PROPERTY:

Deposit - Mastricola Land (Senecal Beverages)	\$	100.00	
Joseph & Lucille Demers - Lot 7, Reeds Cemetery		60.00	
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	\$		160.00

ZONING:

Variance Fees	\$	300.00
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MISCELLANEOUS:

Trustees of Trust Funds —		
Interest George Carroll Fund	\$	557.96
Merrimack Industrial Committee — Funds Transferred to Town		1,150.00
State of New Hampshire —		
Use of Land		5.00
Claude M. Maker - Office Clerk 1966		500.00
N. H. Savings Bank —		
General Fund		5,000.00
Second National Bank —		
General Fund		15,000.00
Grange Mutual Insurance Co. —		
Refund Insurance Dividend		21.08
Claude M. Maker - Refund Insurance Dividend		53.00
Harry D. Greenleaf - 1 Check List		5.98
Telephone Calls		1.00
Second National Bank —		
Interest Refund		62.33
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		\$ 22,356.35
Total Receipts during 1966		<hr/>
		\$817,294.04
Balance January 1, 1966		<hr/>
		154,186.65
Grand Total		<hr/>
		\$971,480.69

CASH DISBURSEMENTS

TOWN OF MERRIMACK

January 1, 1966 to December 31, 1966

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES:

Harold V. Buker, Selectman	\$ 600.00
Herschel W. Cox, Selectman	150.00
Edward J. Haseltine, Selectman	600.00
David E. Pickering, Selectman	450.00
Claude M. Maker, Tax Collector	6,182.20
Mildred F. Morrill, Treasurer	300.00
Jean A. Rivet, Auditor	125.00
Emma M. Dodge, Auditor	125.00
Florence Richardson, Treas. of Trust Funds — 1965	355.00
Florence Richardson, Treas. of Trust Funds — 1966	200.00
Harold V. Buker, Overseer of Poor	50.00
Dr. Luther A. March, Health Officer	250.00
Claude M. Maker, Clerk	100.00
Mildred F. Morrill, Office Clerk	4,500.00
Jean G. Weston, Office Clerk	1,528.90

\$ 15,516.10

Claude M. Maker, Auto Permits

1,920.50

Claude M. Maker, Dog Licenses

139.50

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES:

Jones Typewriter Co. — Adding Machine Rental, Type- writer repairs, Maintenance Contract, Ribbons	\$ 102.40
Edson C. Eastman Co. — Warrants, Tax Book, Supplies, Tally Sheets, Misc. Forms	79.58
Raymond Jenkins — Stamps, Postage	127.36
Banner Photo Service — Photo	1.00
N. H. Town Clerks' Ass'n. - Dues	3.00
N. H. Tax Collectors' Ass'n. — Dues	3.00
Ass'n of N. H. Assessors - Dues	5.00

Donat Corriveau — Reporting Deeds, Mortgages, Postage	225.45
Sarah S. Bishop — Envelopes, Postage, Box Rent	212.69
Maxfield Press — Printing Checks Town Reports, Official Ballots, Sample Ballots, Envelopes, Census Cards	1,143.15
Phaneuf Press — Office Supplies	106.16
Florence Richardson — Car Expense, Vault Rent, Machine Rental, Expense and Postage, Deed	108.67
Town of Bedford — Tax Blood- Harris Land	23.67
Mildred Morrill — Binders, Photo, Postage, Car Expense	111.43
Harry Greenleaf — Supplies for Supervisors	11.43
Marguerite Ryan — Typing	15.00
Sylvia Read — Postage	31.36
Branham Publishing Co. — 1967 Auto Reference Book	9.70
Brown & Saltmarsh — Payroll Pads & Postage	12.78
Merrimack Hardware Inc. — Xerox copies of Warrants	.40
Telegraph Publishing Co. — Notices	53.88
Walter Peavey — Rubber Stamp	2.25
J. Frank Hall — Postage	18.70
Homestead Press — Printing Tax Bills and Notices	150.45
Jean G. Weston — File Boxes & Index	2.13
Jean A. Rivet — Typing	39.20
Claude M. Maker Agency — Town Officers Bonds, Inside and Out- side Loss Insurance, Stamps, Expense Town Clerks' and Tax Collectors' Meetings,	473.36

State Treasurer — Boat Guide, Mobile Home Guide	11.50	
H. A. Manning Co. — Advertis- ing and copies of Suburban Directory	186.20	
Wheeler & Clark — Dog Tags, Notices, Inventory Books and Postage	78.16	
J. Wilson French — Head & Poll Tax Census	435.00	
Miscellaneous — Flowers for Cox	10.00	
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		\$ 3,794.06

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION:

Harold V. Buker, Selectman	\$ 45.00
Edward J. Haseltine, Selectman and Moderator	45.00
Herschel W. Cox, Selectman	15.00
David E. Pickering, Selectman	30.00
Claude M. Maker, Town Clerk	45.00
Harry D. Greenleaf, Supervisor and Supplies	216.97
Marguerite Ryan, Supervisor	176.00
Rita Nolet, Supervisor	181.00
Marjorie Janas, Ballot Clerk	30.00
Patricia Colburne, Ballot Inspector	45.00
Barbara Otey, Ballot Clerk	30.00
Mabel Jebb, Ballot Clerk	15.00
Kathryn White, Ballot Clerk	15.00
Barbara Wright, Alternate Ballot Clerk	5.00
Lucille Liberty, Alternate Ballot Clerk and Inspector	25.00
Irene Campo, Alternate Ballot Clerk,	5.00
Robert McInnes, Alternate Ballot Clerk	5.00
Sandra Russell, Alternate Ballot Clerk, Counter	10.00
Morris Liffman, Alternate Ballot Clerk	5.00

Elizabeth Lindsey, Alternate Ballot Clerk	5.00
Donald Hopkins, Alternate Ballot Clerk	5.00
Patricia Morrill, Ballot Inspector	15.00
Eleanor Flanders, Ballot Inspector	15.00
Clayton Moore, Ballot Inspector	15.00
Betty Morton, Ballot Inspector	15.00
Mildred Johnson, Counter	5.00
Doris Davis, Counter	5.00
Barbara Cramer, Counter	5.00
Beverly Drewry, Counter	5.00
Jane Brown, Counter	5.00
Jaclyn Winchell, Counter	5.00
Nina Moore, Counter	5.00
Electa Pearson, Counter	5.00
Earl Dodge, Counter	5.00
Barbara Patterson, Counter	5.00
Beth Allen, Counter	5.00
Sam Allen, Counter	5.00
Fred Moriarty, Counter	5.00
Gerard Lavigne, Counter	5.00
Vaugh Townsend, Counter	5.00
Valerie Burt, Counter	5.00
Francis Burt, Counter	5.00
Albert McCann, Counter	5.00
Joseph Morton, Counter	5.00
Arthur D. Timmins, Police	15.00
Jovite Pinard, Janitor	15.00
Jaclyn L. Winchell, Stenographer	75.00
Merrimack School Lunch Program, Lunches	15.20
George M. Greenleaf, Dinners	113.75
Roger R. Levesque, Police	10.50
Charles Buker, Police	13.50
Philip Hamel, Police	6.00
Thomas A. Dutton, Police	15.00
Arthur Bell, Janitor	30.00
E. C. Dodge, Voting Booths, Labor and Material	204.00
E. J. Hasteline, Rope	1.69
Maxfield Press, 50 Check Lists	298.75

\$ 1,922.36

OFFICE EQUIPMENT AND STYSTEMS:

Jones Typewriter Co. — Adding Machine, Stand, Chair	277.32	
McBee System — 3000 Keysort Cards	36.38	
Office Machines of N. H. — 2 Kardex Units, 5000 Cards, 5000 inserts	1,131.80	
Taft Business Machine Inc. — Elliot Addressograph, Stencils, Stand, Storage Units, Transcript Rolls	797.58	
Royal Typewriter Co. — Typewriter	400.50	
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		\$ 2,643.58

TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS:

Merrimack Village District — Water to June 30	\$ 49.58	
New England Telephone	300.62	
Public Service Co. of N. H. — Lights	525.21	
White's Oil Heating Service — Oil	763.31	
Interstate Uniform — Rug Rental	87.50	
Nyanza — Salt	6.50	
Village Hardware Store Inc. — Bulbs, Misc. Supplies, Barrell, Hedge Trimmers	25.94	
George Clinghan — Painting Fire Escapes, Rust Spots on Bldg. — Labor & Material	175.00	
Claude M. Maker Agency — Fire & Extended Coverage — 3 yrs.	281.00	
Homestead Remodelling — Police Dept. Signs Installed Labor on Door	20.00	
Merrimack Hardware Inc. — Folding tables, Extension Cord, Misc. Supplies	38.09	

Jovite Pinard — Labor and Material — Floors	96.00	
C. L. Haskell — Flameproof Stage Curtains	60.00	
Duane Gordon — Replace Switch	5.00	
Dickinson Motor & Tractor Co. — Power Mower	100.00	
Dana Patterson Inc. — Labor & Repairs — Floors	61.63	
Kiestlinger's Store — Supplies	2.90	
Pynenburg's Service Station — Oil for Mower	.97	
Manchester Paper Supply — Paper Towels	5.96	
Reeds Ferry Lumber Co. — Material for Screen Door	17.29	
Westron Corp. — Clorolite Bulbs	58.94	
Edward Worster, Janitor Service	7.87	
Gilbert Beard — Janitor	115.49	
Clarence Worster — Janitor	573.08	
		\$ 3,377.88

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Frank R. Flanders, Chief — Salary to March 24, 1966	\$ 1,311.53
Frank R. Flanders, Chief — Mileage	54.72
John R. Wilders Jr., Chief — Salary to December 25, 1966	5,126.89
Roger R. Levesque — Salary	3,645.93
Roger R. Levesque — Special Duty and Mileage	199.89
Daniel J. Rafferty — Salary to March 31	480.75
Albert O. Charest — Salary	346.12
Albert O. Charest — Special Duty	24.60
Charles E. Buker, Sgt. — Duty and Mileage	783.69
Walter Fariole — Duty & Mileage	602.60

Harold L. Flanders — Duty	406.90
Philip D. Hamel — Duty & Mileage	542.08
Floyd Heath — Duty	214.90
Allen F. Penrod — Guard Duty to April 4	420.00
Edward A. Renaud — Duty & Mileage	384.91
Gerard Theriault — Duty & Mileage	283.84
Arthur D. Timmins, Sgt. — Duty & Mileage	942.03
Richard J. Turcotte — Duty & Mileage	136.70
Arthur Vachon — Duty	55.95
Cynthia Hamel — Answering Service	593.75
Mary Moriarty — Answering Service	906.25
Betty Raymond — Duty & Mileage	275.86
Merrimack Hardware Inc. — Xerox copies, Batteries, Keys	12.76
Nashua Police Department — Matron Service	32.37
Duhamel — Films and Bulbs	195.33
John R. Wilders Jr. — Keys, Meals, Patches, Postage, Key Chains, Box Rent, Belt and Holster Preservative	36.32
DeMambro Radio Supply Co. — Batteries	12.48
DW 2-Way Radio Service — Labor & Parts	83.68
N. H. Explosives & Machine Corp. — Flares and Freight	108.38
Emma Dodge — Matron Service	24.00
Ranch Gun Shop — Holsters	10.70
Hans W. Standow, M. D. — Professional Services	75.00
Barretts' Business Machines Inc. — Supplies	7.85
Orbit Drive-In — Meals	1.10
Phaneuf Press — Office Supplies	63.16
Roger R. Levesque — Flash Bulbs	2.16

Johnston Badge Co. — Gold Badges, Cord, Stripes, Chevrons	46.46
Gerald E. Proctor — Reloads, Special Cartridges	47.25
Dr. Frederick L. Clark — Dog Autopsy	5.00
D. E. Pickering — Forms, Stencils & Mimeo	2.00
Goulet Printing Co. — Bicycle Registrations	24.00
Standard Sign & Signal — Bicycle Stickers	96.55
Walter Peavey — 2 Rubber Stamps	4.36
Slawsby Insurance — Added Insured, Contents of Police Dept.	14.37
Slawsby Insurance — Special Hazards Policy	120.00
Bob's Locksmith Shop — 2 Handcuff keys	2.00
Maxfield Press — Envelopes	3.15
Scientific Detection Prod. Corp. — Identification No. Sign — All Purpose Print Kit	49.25
Memorial Hospital — Blood Test	5.00
St. Anselm's College — Criminal Law Course	50.00
Traynor Uniform Co. — Uniforms, Boots, Badges, etc.	234.50
N. John Fontana II, M. D. — Blood Alcohol Test	10.00
Dorothy E. Pickering — 500 Investigation Reports	5.00
Albert O. Charest — Postage	.18
New England Telephone	511.79

\$ 19,636.04

CRUISER:

Connell's — 1966 Plymouth Fury (net)	\$ 1,104.00
Connell's — Switch, Tires & Installation, Oil, Oil Filter, Labor	36.68
H. W. Cox — Gas & Oil	124.80
D & R Service Station — Gas, Oil, Tires, Rim	763.75
Flanders' Shell Station — Gas, Oil, Tires, Tire Repair, Bulbs	576.23
Marston's "66" Station — Gas, Plugs, Seat Cushion, Oil, Filter, Tires, Flasher, Directional Lights, Battery, Points	263.16
Pynenburg Service Station — Gas, Oil, Tires, Tube, Chains, Cross Chains, Lube, Points, Motor Mount, Labor, Telar	551.75
Reeds Ferry Market — Gas, Oil, Antifreeze	117.13
Reeds Ferry Motors — Gas, Oil, Tune-up	178.45
Roy's Filling Station — Gas	60.81
South Merrimack Market — Gas	11.91
Claude M. Maker Agency — Comprehensive, Collision, B. I. and P. D., Transfer Ins.	177.00
John R. Wilders Jr. — Car Wash, Rope, Blanket, Sponge, Battery	38.12
Auto Electric Service Co. — Blue Light	79.74
DW 2 Way Radio Service — Transfer Radio, Radio Repairs, 2-way Radio Installed	318.25
Harry D. Greenleaf — Wiper Blades	3.90
Pine Motor Parts — Supplies, Warning Switch, Chamois	12.99
Safeguard Fire Extinguisher Service — Recharge	7.00
Andy's Motor Service Inc. — Repairs, Altermeter Bearings,	

Labor, Balance Wheels, Align Front End, Shock Absorbers, Replace Brushes, Charge Battery	157.70	
N. H. Welding Supply — Oxygen	4.15	
Albert O. Charest — Car Wash	1.75	
Warren's Atlantic Service Station — Gas	5.50	
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		\$ 4,594.77
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		\$ 24,230.81

FIRE DEPARTMENT:

Forest Fire Payroll	\$ 1,021.69
Annual Payroll & Maintenance	2,821.78
Roland Cadorette — Oil, Filter, Nozzle	82.86
Merrimack Village District — Water	50.00
New England Telephone	685.23
Public Service Company of N. H. — Light and Heat	392.31
Pynenburg Service Station — Gas, Battery, Road Service, Plugs, Oil, Tube, Brake Fluid, Car Wash, Battery Cable, Set Timing, Labor	340.60
White's Oil Heating Service — Oil	599.71
DW 2-Way Radio Service — Transfer Radio	57.13
Reeds Ferry Lumber — Hasp, Padlock, Screws	2.86
Phaneuf Press — Supplies, File Boxes, Cards,	22.04
Merrimack Hardware Inc. — Chains & Hooks, Bulbs, Batteries, Enamel, Wrenches	120.66
Safeguard Fire Extinguisher Serv. — Recharges, Name Plates, Blankets	168.02
Claude M. Maker Agency — Fire, Theft, Collision, Blanket	

Accident, B. I. & P. D.	949.75
Harry D. Greenleaf — Battery Cables, Starter Switch, Batteries	81.50
Abbott's Market — Misc. Supplies, Groceries, Batteries	46.68
Central Paper Prod. Co. — Paper Supplies	41.25
Greenleaf Press — Fire Reports, Meeting Cards, Tickets	57.75
Hammar Hardware Co. — Keys	2.10
Gorham Fire Equip. Co. — Repair Nozzle and Fog Tips	18.65
D & R Service Station — Plugs, Points, Cord, Wire, Labor	13.36
Bigwood's Garage & Weld. Shop — Inspections	30.00
Henry T. Provost, Sec. — Dues N. H. Firemen's Ass'n.	39.00
Maurice Zing, Sec. — Retire- ment Insurance	234.00
C. B. Radio Co. Inc. — 2-way Radio	195.00
Village Hardware Store — Fuses, Bolts	1.72
Draper Fuel Co. — Oil	6.11
Motor Service Supply Co. — Bulbs	3.85
DeMambro Radio Supply — Batteries	29.16
Auto Electric Service — Siren, Telephone, UPS	67.30
Slawsby Ins. — 1950 Ford	88.00
Cheddie's Donut Shop	6.75
George G. Howland — Transformers (Power Radio)	9.80
South Merrimack Market — Gas, Antifreeze	17.77
Flanders' Shell Station — Gas	1.90
Merrimack Fire Dept. — Retirement Fund (Meeting Fines)	182.00

\$ 8,488.29

INSURANCE:

Claude M. Maker Agency — Workmen's Comp. and Employees' Liability	\$ 789.63	
General Liability, Property Damage all Town-owned Buildings	558.00	
Added Premium — Workmen's Comp. and Employees. Lia- bility	334.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,681.63

HEALTH DEPARTMENT:

Nashua Police Department — Ambulance		\$ 1,068.00
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TOWN DUMP:

Appropriation		\$ 5,000.00
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STREET LIGHTS:

Merrimack	\$ 3,626.62	
South Merrimack	390.74	
Flashers	89.96	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,107.32

LIBRARY:

Appropriation		\$ 5,600.00
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OLD AGE ASSISTANCE:

State of New Hampshire		\$ 4,064.76
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MEMORIAL DAY:

Merrimack Memorial Post 98 — Flags, Wreaths, etc.		\$ 164.00
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CEMETERIES:

Dickinson's Mower & Trac. Co. — Labor and Parts, Repairs to Mower	\$ 79.26	
Allen D. Penrod — Labor	277.10	
William C. Penrod — Labor	47.00	
Weston L. Warriner — Labor	121.55	
	<hr/>	\$ 524.91

New Water Line:

Merrimack Farmers' Exchange		
— Pipe	\$	63.00
Frank Twardosky — Backhoe		
Digging		77.00
J. Wilson French — Paid Nashua		
Supply Co. — Fittings		14.87
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	\$	154.87
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	\$	679.78

REFUNDS:

Fred W. & Helen L. Aird —		
1965 Prop. Tax	\$	65.57
Claude M. Maker — Over-		
payment 1964 Auto Permit		77.93
Turkey Hill Associates —		
1966 Prop. Tax and Interest		109.62
Estate of Ernest Williams —		
1966 Permit Fee		10.99
Prescott A. Streeter —		
1964 Prop. Tax & Interest		54.10
Charles M. Nute Jr. —		
1965 Prop. Tax		71.10
Gladys M. Gatchell —		
1966 Regis. not used		9.36
Claude Paradise — 1965		
Poll Tax, Penalty and Interest		2.24
Ronald M. Mara — Poll and Head		
Tax for Madeline Mara		7.00
Dorothy Degonyoun — 1965		
Prop. Tax and Interest (Ralph		
Property)		64.60
Claude M. Maker — Overdeduc-		
tion 1965 Soc. Security		11.06
David Currier Sr. — Head and		
Poll Taxes — 1966		12.00
Francis J. O'Gara — 1966		
Prop. Tax		14.44
Donald Perkins —		
1966 Prop. Tax		34.96
Glendon P. Drewry — 1966		
Prop. Tax		53.20

Perley J. Greeley — 1966		
Prop. Tax	38.00	
Claude M. Maker, Coll. — Over-		
payment 1966 Poll Tax	2.00	
Arthur C. Bell — 1966		
Prop. Tax	18.86	
Richard J. Turcotte — 1966 Poll		
and Head Taxes	14.00	
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		\$ 671.03

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY TAX		\$ 30,880.60
SCHOOL DEPARTMENT;		
1965-1966 Appropriation	\$203,754.39	
1966-1967 Appropriation	135,000.00	
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		\$338,754.39

GRADER:

Jordan-Milton Machinery Inc. —		
Parts	\$ 5.40	
R. C. Hazelton Co. — Supplies		
& Parts	15.69	
Donald G. Estey — Welding	44.00	
Rice's Inc. — Tube, Labor,		
Mileage, Re-cap 1 tire	124.69	
Claude M. Maker Ag. —		
Insurance	70.00	
Mobil Oil Corp. — Deisel Oil	286.60	
Palmer Spring Co. — Adapters		
and Hose	2.05	
Pynenburg Service Sta. — Oil,		
Antifreeze, Heater Switch	29.73	
Ray Road Equip. —Blades, Bolts,		
Paint	125.80	
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		\$ 703.96
Capital Reserve Fund —		
N. H. Savings Bank		\$ 1,000.00

HEAD TAXES:

State of New Hampshire — 1965	\$ 2,915.50	
State of New Hampshire — 1966	6,917.04	
		\$ 9,832.54

SHORT TERM NOTES:

Second National Bank of Nashua — Temporary Loans	\$100,000.00
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INTEREST ON TEMPORARY LOANS:

Second National Bank of Nashua	\$ 1,046.32
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PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS:

Atlas Display Fireworks — Fireworks	\$ 290.00	
Paul Weir — Tree Removal	100.00	
Francis W. Bean — Care of Parks	75.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 465.00

TAX SALE:

Claude M. Maker, Coll. — 1966 Taxes	\$ 6,027.97	
Claude M. Maker, Coll. — Costs Before and At Sale	121.85	
Merrimack Post Office — Postage Costs After Sale	5.40	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,155.22

TOWN POOR

	\$ 777.49
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TRUST FUNDS:

Florence Richardson, Treas. Trustees of Trust Funds: Leroy & Myrel Chase	\$ 100.00
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TWIN BRIDGES:

Hume Pipe of N. E. — Pipe	\$ 91.00
Capital Reserve Fund — N. H. Savings Bank	\$ 1,000.00

MUNICIPAL COURT:

Charles F. Morrill, Justice — Salary	\$ 500.00
Charles F. Morrill, Justice — Small Claim Fees	29.00
Mildred F. Morrill, Clerk — Salary	250.00
Mildred F. Morrill, Clerk — Small Claim Fees, Postage	57.50
Robert W. Pillsbury, Special Justice	130.00
Robert W. Pillsbury, Special Justice — Small Claim Fees	13.00

Jack Middleton, Special Justice	10.00	
Robert B. Welts, Special Justice	10.00	
Merrimack Hardware Inc. —		
Xerox	.75	
Maxfield Press — Appointment		
Forms, Letterheads	32.75	
Merrimack Municipal Court — Re-		
imbursement, Special Justice and		
Small Claim Fees	31.00	
		\$ 1,064.00
SEWERS:		
Queen City Plumb. & Heat. Co. —		
Rental Power Machine, Labor	\$ 199.50	
John O. Baxter — Electric Power		
for Power Machine	7.00	
Labor and Equipment	525.30	
		\$ 731.80
Sewer Survey:		
D. E. Pickering — Mimeographing,		
Materials and Lay-up	\$ 10.00	
Capital Reserve Fund; N. H.		
Savings Bank	\$ 647.57	
WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST:		
Appropriation	\$ 150.00	
ZONING:		
Harkaway, Barry, Gall — Counsel		
Fees, Hearings	\$ 212.50	
Sarah S. Bishop — Postage	95.30	
Jaclyn L. Winchell — Steno. Hearings	105.00	
Telegraph Pub. Co. — Hearing		
Notices	122.76	
Greenleaf Press — Printing Code		
Books and Letters	257.50	
Theresa M. Levesque —		
Steno. Hearing	25.00	
Kelley's Business Service — Mimeo-		
graphing Proposed Amendments	11.50	
Maxfield Press — Ballots	12.00	
University of N. H. — Planning		
Course (2 Members)	30.00	
Mildred F. Morrill — Postage	5.20	
		\$ 876.76

BUILDING INSPECTOR:

Edwin S. Johnston, Inspector	
— Fees	\$ 3,030.00
Edwin S. Johnston —	
Signs and Supplies	19.96
Johnston Badge Co. — Badge	5.60
Maxfield Press Inc. — Permits, Cards,	
Signature Stamp, Forms	149.95
Phaneuf Press — Filing Cabinet,	
Card Files and Cards	65.03

\$ 3,270.54

MISCELLANEOUS:

H. V. Buker — Grading Ball Park	
(Contract Price)	\$ 750.00
Merrimack Chamber of Commerce —	
Transfer Industrial Committee	
Funds	1,150.00
Town of Merrimack — Transfer to	
Mastricola Fund, Deposit on Land	100.00
Bond and Debt Retirement Tax	187.00
Robert Lemay — Bounties	1.00

\$ 2,188.00

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE:

1966 Report of Boat Owners	\$ 28.00
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CAPITAL RESERVE GENERAL FUND:

Second National Bank of Nashua	\$ 15,000.00
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NEW EQUIPMENT:

N. H. Explosives & Machine Corp. —	
Plow, Hitch, Pump	\$ 1,370.00

TRA:

State of New Hampshire:	
Appropriation	\$ 1,340.40

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:

Summer Maintenance:	
Wages	\$ 11,580.00
Use of Equipment:	
Edgar Thibodeau	\$ 8,123.75
Harold V. Buker Sr.	195.50
Norman Lombard	10.50
Richard Ramig	1,054.90

\$ 9,384.65

General Expense:

R. C. Hazelton Co. Inc. — Rake Teeth, Pipe & Couplings, Broom Refill, Cable Installed	294.30
Municipal Services Inc. — Alum. Letters, Nails, Postage	29.90
Merrimack Hardware Inc. — Bolts, Cleaner, Brushes, Spikes, Rakes, Brooms	30.50
Nashua Sand & Gravel — Cold Patch, Hot Top	329.43
Nyanza — Salt	9.60
N. E. Pole & Wood Treat. Corp. — Treated Lumber, Lumber for Bridges	281.02
E. W. Sleeper Co. — Parts for Sander	11.51
Ray Road Equipment — Shovels, Signs, Rain Suits, Hats, Bolts, Nuts	232.06
Mingolla Machinery Co., Sander Repairs	4.51
Reeds Ferry Lumber Co., Hinges, Screws, Lumber	10.44
D. G. Estey — Repairs to Sander	\$ 36.00
James Longa — Sand, Backhoe	266.00
White's Oil Heating — Oil	6.86
Sanel Industrial Inc. — Road Signs	21.03
N. H. Pre-Mix Concrete-Cement	6.62
Jesse F. Metcalf — Labor & Nails, Repair Covered Bridges	83.00
Francis Bean — Labor, Repair Covered Bridges	70.00
Edgar Thibodeau — Telephone Calls	3.24
Sherburne Bros. — Lumber for Covered Bridges	40.32

	\$ 22,730.99
Oil: Trimount Bituminous Products Co.	10,626.59
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	\$ 33,357.58

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:

Winter Maintenance:

Wages		\$ 9,818.20
Use of Equipment:		
Edgar Thibodeau	\$ 7,217.55	
Harold V. Buker Sr.	474.00	
Leon D. Spooner	18.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 7,709.55

General Expense:

Donald G. Estey — Welding		
Plows, Frames	334.00	
Nashua Sand & Gravel Corp. —		
Asphalt	11.00	
N. E. Pole & Wood Treat Corp. —		
Creosoting Lumber	25.00	
R. C. Hazelton Co. — Plow Blade		
Bolts, Snowshield — Plow —		
Spring	98.87	
International Salt Co. — Salt	3,092.51	
Osgood's — Chain, Links	5.12	
Motor Service & Supply —		
Supplies, Flashers, Bulbs	16.06	
Pynenburg Service Station —		
Flashers, Seal Beam	8.78	
Merrimack Hardware Inc. — Bolts,		
Nuts, Pipe, Tape, Links	11.19	
James Longa — Sand	96.00	
Ray Road Equipment — Blades,		
Nose Pieces, Bolts, Nuts, Paint	820.08	
	<hr/>	\$ 22,046.36

DAMAGES AND LEGAL EXPENSE:

Harkaway, Barry, Gall — Legal		
Fees, Copies of Papers	\$ 261.97	
Willard MacArthur — Bantams		
killed by Dog	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 291.97

SOCIAL SECURITY AND RETIREMENT:

Highway Department:

Winter	\$	414.26	
Summer		486.41	
	\$	900.67	
Tax Collector		237.53	
Office Clerks		253.43	
Sewers		12.71	
Cemeteries		18.71	
Police Department — Social Security		156.06	
Police Department — Retirement		431.81	
Janitors		4.85	
Court		448.03	
			\$ 2,463.80
Total Disbursements during 1966			\$660,712.90
Balance December 31, 1966			310,767.79
GRAND TOTAL			\$971,480.69

CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS

GRADER FUND

Balance New Hampshire Savings Bank 1-1-66	\$ 12,376.72
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Receipts:

Interest: July, Oct.

1965 Dividends	264.40
Jan. 1966 Dividend	134.31
1966 Deposit	1,000.00

\$ 13,775.43

Disbursements:

Transfer to General Fund	5,000.00
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\$ 8,775.43

Balance New Hampshire Savings Bank 12-31-66	\$ 8,775.43
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SEWER FUND:

Balance New Hampshire Savings Bank 1-1-66	\$ 2,396.11
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Receipts:

Interest: July, Oct.

1965 Dividends	51.19
Jan. 1966 Dividend	26.00
Balance 1965 Receipts—Deposit	647.57

\$ 3,120.87

Balance New Hampshire	
Savings Bank 12-31-66	\$ 3,120.87

TWIN BRIDGE FUND

Balance New Hampshire	
Savings Bank 1-1-66	\$ 3,618.86
Receipts:	
Interest — July, Oct. 1965	
Dividends	70.15
Jan. 1966 Dividend	39.20
1965 Appropriation — Deposit	1,000.00
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	\$ 4,728.21
Balance New Hampshire	
Savings Bank 12-31-66	\$ 4,728.21

MASTRICOLA FUND

Balance on hand January 1, 1966:

First Federal Savings &

Loan Ass'n

\$ 1,759.08

Cash on hand

1.53

\$ 1,760.61

RECEIPTS:

Dividends: Savings Account \$ 77.75

Senecal Beverages Inc.—Sale of land 2,500.00

J & S Hydraulic Jack Repairing Co.

Deposit on land 100.00

\$ 2,677.76

\$ 4,438.36

DISBURSEMENTS:

Gerald R. Hyde—Layout of lots \$ 40.00

Atty. Charles F. Morrill—Preparing

Deeds and Tax Stamps for

Senecal Beverages Inc. 32.75

\$ 72.75

Balance on hand December 31, 1966:

On Deposit — First Federal

Savings & Loan Ass'n

\$ 4,364.08

Cash on hand

1.53

\$ 4,365.61

\$ 4,438.36

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

1966 saw the completion of re-location, re-building, and re-surfacing of Peaslee Road. This project has required the expenditure of our TRA funds for the past three years. Completion of this road marks one more step in bringing our school bus routes up to standard. It is anticipated that TRA funds, in part at least, will be expended on the re-construction of Woodbury Street to provide a second access road to the new high school.

In the latter part of 1966 the Town disposed of two parcels of the Mastricola property for commercial enterprises. The Board of Selectmen, representing the citizens of Merrimack, is happy to welcome Senecal Beverages Inc. as its newest member of our commercial community. Many of you are currently witnessing the construction of their new building on the West side of Route #3. It is anticipated that J & S Hydraulic Services will construct a new building adjacent to the Senecal Beverage warehouse.

Merrimack's Sewer Committee has been active during the past year and is attempting to secure the necessary State and Federal funds to proceed with our Sewer and Sewage program. The project has been temporarily stalled because of lack of funds available to the contributing agencies.

Public water has been installed in Last Rest Cemetery in accordance with the vote taken at the last Annual Meeting.

It is the feeling of the Selectmen that at some point and time consideration must be given to a centralized communication system for all the various Town Departments, manned on a full-time basis. The Board has been requested to insert an article in the Warrant to take the initial steps toward consideration of this problem.

HAROLD V. BUKER
EDWARD J. HASELTINE
DAVID E. PICKERING

Selectmen

FUND A

	Principal	Balance Income 1/1/66	Total Years Income	Expended	Balance 12/31/66
John Anderson	\$ 100	\$ 24.57	\$ 8.15	\$ 5.00	\$ 27.72
Jennie Arthur	100	22.75	8.10	5.00	25.85
Perley Austin	100	18.97	8.00	5.00	21.97
Mary Anderson	50	2.62	4.66	4.00	3.28
June Abbott	200	28.97	15.45	10.00	34.42
Reuben Barnes	100	23.41	9.10	5.00	26.51
Hermon O. Bean	150	34.67	11.85	7.00	39.52
Willie E. Betterly	100	19.58	7.90	6.00	21.48
James W. Blood	100	23.27	8.10	6.00	25.37
Horatio O. Bowers	100	22.54	8.10	6.00	24.64
David H. Boynton	50	3.23	8.64	4.00	4.64
Bean-Babkirk	250	55.26	18.37	12.00	61.63
Betsey Barnes	100	23.03	8.10	5.00	26.13
Percy L. Blood	200	37.34	15.45	12.00	40.79
Laura E. Ball	200	56.89	15.55	10.00	62.44
Eva L. Barron	200	58.53	15.55	10.00	64.08
Catherine & Charles Buckley	100	15.18	8.75	5.00	18.93
Turessa Clark	200	101.81	18.60	15.00	105.41
Elvord G. Chamberlin	100	19.83	7.90	6.00	21.73
Alvin Cheever	150	29.89	11.60	6.00	35.49
Ida F. Cotton	100	21.96	8.00	6.00	23.96
Corning-Merrill	130	27.81	9.36	8.00	29.17
Child-Davis	200	5.99	14.25	8.00	12.24
Daniel M. Colby	100	21.72	8.00	6.00	23.72
Charlotte Cameron	150	33.82	11.95	8.00	37.77
James Collier	100	12.47	9.50	5.00	16.97
Copp-Caroll	200	63.21	16.40	9.00	70.61
Edwin & Ida Cook	200	48.54	16.10	10.00	54.64
George Carroll	300	117.06	23.19	10.00	130.25
Mathew W. Dickey	100	21.78	7.90	6.00	23.68
Hazen Dodge	150	30.20	11.60	8.00	33.80
James B. Elliott	100	22.31	8.00	5.00	25.37
Mary Buzzell Emmons	100	23.19	8.00	5.00	26.19
James W. Furguson	200	77.47	17.75	8.00	87.22
Hermon & Susan Fields	200	60.24	16.80	8.00	69.04
Charles H. Fields	100	20.50	7.90	5.00	23.40
Levi Fisher	100	18.07	7.80	6.00	19.87
S. C. Follansbee	100	17.26	7.70	6.00	18.96
James Fosdick	100	21.78	7.90	6.00	23.68
John D. Frazer	100	15.89	7.70	6.00	17.59
Foster-Peaslee	300	103.48	24.50	12.00	115.98
Samuel Fuller-Mary Merrill	200	50.25	16.25	10.00	56.50
Washington Follansbee	150	35.06	11.85	7.00	39.91
J. Frank Foster	200	52.09	16.25	10.00	58.34
Mattie Foscett	60	21.06	8.02	6.00	23.98
Harold Foote	200	48.49	16.40	10.00	54.89
Agustus L. Gilson	100	18.04	7.90	5.00	20.94
Arthur G. Gordon	400	191.13	35.20	10.00	216.33
Harrison Green	100	12.34	7.50	6.00	13.84
Martha Green	300	131.96	25.85	10.00	147.81
George & Sarah Griffin	500	204.83	39.15	15.00	228.98
Mary A. Gordon	100	19.36	7.90	5.00	22.26

Horace S. Gould	100	18.01	7.90	5.00	20.91
Alice Gray	100	11.93	7.50	6.00	13.43
George & Bert Gilmore	200	60.42	16.80	8.00	69.22
Graves-Hall	200	50.55	16.25	8.00	58.80
Walt Goodale	200	28.71	15.20	10.00	33.91
James Hale	150	28.25	11.45	7.00	32.70
David & Hannah Henderson	150	25.26	11.40	7.00	29.66
Henry F. Herrick	500	208.02	39.15	12.00	235.17
Isaac Hodgeman	250	66.20	19.07	10.00	75.27
J. B. Hood	52	11.68	6.47	4.00	14.15
Beulah Graves Harmon	100	11.90	7.45	6.00	13.35
Harrison Herrick	100	12.23	7.50	6.00	13.73
Dana & Flora Hutchinson	150	20.12	11.15	10.00	21.27
Leslie C. Hunter	150	21.70	11.15	8.00	24.85
Clarence L. Hill	150	21.77	11.15	8.00	24.92
Freeman Hill	1,000	624.16	98.10	25.00	707.26
Norris E. Henderson	200	61.07	16.30	8.00	69.37
George Henson	200	57.53	16.25	10.00	63.78
David Henderson	100	26.12	8.15	5.00	29.27
James C. F. Hodgeman	350	116.33	29.25	12.00	133.58
Dr. George Hoitt	200	45.57	16.25	10.00	51.82
John & Mabel Haseltine	300	120.88	25.40	10.00	136.28
Daniel T. Ingalls	100	12.91	7.75	6.00	14.66
Louise M. Jones	100	13.05	7.75	6.00	14.80
George H. Jones & Roseanna Dow	200	65.56	16.90	10.00	72.36
Albert Junkins	150	10.64	10.70	6.00	15.34
Jones-Hoffman	150	36.09	11.85	6.00	41.94
Ernest Johnson	200	65.22	17.00	8.00	74.22
David R. Jones	500	92.65	34.30	10.00	116.95
John M. Keep	100	19.61	8.15	5.00	22.76
George W. Kimball	100	13.29	7.64	6.00	14.93
Ann King	100	26.29	8.40	5.00	29.69
Catherine Kittredge	200	47.22	16.05	10.00	53.27
Eri & Lucretia Kittredge	100	16.78	7.95	6.00	18.73
Walter Kittridge	200	49.21	16.20	10.00	55.41
Charles & Henry A. Lawrence	300	89.64	23.70	10.00	103.34
Leon Longa	150	24.18	11.25	8.00	27.43
Charles E. Lougee	200	48.29	16.10	10.00	54.39
Robert Mears	200	48.41	16.10	10.00	54.51
William P. Melvin & W. A. Barker	400	141.23	32.40	15.00	158.63
John & Dr. Ed Merriam	200	46.81	16.05	15.00	47.86
W. D. Mitchell	100	17.87	7.95	5.00	20.82
George W. Moulton	100	17.86	7.95	5.00	20.81
Hannah Mears	100	18.28	8.00	5.00	21.28
Frank Martinkas	100	21.73	7.90	5.00	24.63
McClure	500	118.08	35.35	15.00	138.43
McGaw	100	17.13	7.95	6.00	19.08
John L. McIntire	100	18.00	7.95	5.00	20.95
S. & W. McGilvray	200	28.61	15.15	10.00	33.76
Ella B. McDonald	100	17.87	7.95	6.00	19.82
Charles S. Nesmith	200	47.91	16.10	10.00	54.01
Lucy Nichols & Mathew Nichols & Sullivan Nesmith	200	33.95	15.35	10.00	39.30
Frank Parker & Jennie Ingalls	150	11.25	10.75	8.00	14.00
Laura E. Parker	100	17.82	7.70	5.00	20.52
George S. Parkhurst	200	60.11	16.80	8.00	69.91
Alma & Betsey Patterson	250	46.42	18.07	10.00	54.49
Warren Pillsbury	100	17.64	7.70	5.00	20.34
Thomas Parker Heirs & Chas. Parker	200	36.00	15.60	10.00	41.60

FUND A

	Principal	Balance Income 1/1/66	Total Years Income	Expended	Balance 12/31/66
Anson A. Platts	100	17.90	7.80	5.00	20.70
Lewis J. Read	100	15.75	7.70	6.00	17.45
Luther Read	100	17.74	7.80	6.00	19.54
Charles Roberts	100	18.39	7.80	5.00	21.19
Arthur & Mary Richards	75	18.46	5.98	5.00	19.44
Albert Read	200	73.42	17.30	10.00	80.72
Harry A. & Florence E. Richardson	200	70.28	17.25	10.00	77.53
Franklin T. Seaverns	100	12.36	7.70	6.00	14.06
Isaac Coombs Shedd	500	127.56	35.15	20.00	143.32
Elizabeth Boyson Shedd	200	56.49	16.30	10.00	62.79
Daniel H. Smith	100	17.62	7.80	5.00	20.42
Souhegan Lodge IOOF	200	48.44	16.25	10.00	54.69
John & Herman Stowell	100	12.88	7.55	6.00	14.43
L. E. Sanderson	100	25.22	8.10	5.00	28.32
O. & John Spaulding	300	104.97	24.00	10.00	118.97
Moses Truell	100	15.53	7.70	5.00	18.23
James Thornton Post G A R	250	367.77	32.32	15.00	385.09
Mabel Upham	200	49.64	16.25	10.00	55.89
Milton Wallace & David Barnes	100	13.08	7.70	6.00	14.78
James Walch	100	18.86	7.90	5.00	21.76
Leonard Walker	100	13.11	7.70	6.00	14.81
George West	100	17.33	7.80	6.00	19.13
Ellen Wheeler	200	47.48	16.10	10.00	53.58
James Wilkins	100	18.11	7.80	5.00	20.91
Henry Wilson	100	16.81	7.80	5.00	19.61
Elizabeth A. Wood	100	17.30	7.80	6.00	19.10
A. McCaully Wilkins	100	12.76	7.50	6.00	14.26
Thomas Watkins	100	16.37	7.70	5.00	19.07
William Wells	100	17.39	7.70	6.00	19.09
Jeremiah Wood	100	26.58	8.15	6.00	28.73
Charles & Isobelle Watkins	100	53.09	11.50	6.00	58.59
Weston & Theodore Warrenner	200	71.45	17.25	10.00	78.70
Eliza Watkins	200	39.75	15.80	10.00	45.55
Mary Welch	400	56.10	28.65	12.00	72.75
Will & Margaret Watkins	300	112.62	24.75	10.00	127.37
Charles F. Young	150	11.61	10.70	10.00	12.31
	\$25,217	\$6,932.59	\$2,035.88	\$1,158.00	\$7,810.47

FUND B

William & Bertha Atwood	\$ 200	\$ 8.25	\$ 6.00	\$ 2.25
Frank & Mabel Bills	200	13.27	8.80	10.00
Montros & Martha Blood	300	30.12	13.60	10.00
Edwin Butterfield	200	5.40	8.50	8.00
Cleveland Beard	200	7.40	8.60	8.00
Ralph Beard	200	5.09	8.45	8.00
James & Rose Babkirk	200	9.31	8.30	7.50
George & Ethel Bigwood	200	5.09	8.50	8.00
Beard-Clark	200	.37	8.25	4.00
William & Delia Bishop	200	3.60	8.40	4.00
Charles Brown	100		4.14	3.50
Leon Center	200	7.40	8.65	6.00
Henry P. Cogger	200	5.09	8.50	6.00
Clarence & Alice J. Carman	100	.37	4.14	3.50
Fred Dupel	200	7.34	8.57	8.00
Elizabeth Dichard	100	1.24	4.24	4.00
Edna Foster	200	15.12	8.95	8.00
Charles Follansbee	200	7.33	8.55	8.00
Charles & Lillian Fisk	200	6.09	8.50	5.00
Charles & Ida Goodale	75	1.97	3.19	3.00
Dr. Guy Greeley	200	7.40	8.50	6.00
Elizabeth Getz	200	8.91	8.60	5.00
Hall-Noyes	200	15.99	9.05	7.00
Francis Hadley	200	7.40	8.55	6.00
Carl Holman	100	8.82	4.49	4.00
G. Albert Johnson	200	20.59	9.15	6.00
Clair & Doris Junkins	300	38.65	14.45	10.00
Mabel Lanteigne	150	2.88	6.32	5.00
Anna W. Lawrence	300	5.32	12.60	6.00
Claude & Flora Maker	200	6.07	8.50	5.00
William McCrillis	100	1.07	4.20	4.00
Jesse F. & Hazel L. Metcalf	200	6.12	8.50	5.00
Charles Nute Sr. & Jr.	150	2.88	6.36	5.00
Del Peon	200	9.80	8.70	6.00
Hobart Penrod	200	7.40	8.53	6.00
Nathan Parker	100	3.28	4.30	6.00
Gerald Perry	100	3.28	4.30	4.00
Charles F. Russell	200	4.64	8.45	10.00
John Read	200	7.90	8.65	6.00
Howard E. & Dorothy Richards	200	4.09	8.39	7.00
Samuel & Ira Spaulding	200	4.09	8.45	6.00
Harland Truel	200	19.12	9.20	6.00
Rita Tucker	150	11.01	6.71	5.00
Arthur & Henry Thibodeau	100	1.42	4.20	4.00
Arthur & Elizabeth Timmins	100	1.25	4.20	3.50
Marjory G. Trench & David A. Trench	100		4.14	4.00
Elbridge & Mabel Welch	200	6.89	8.55	7.00
Theresa Wilkins	200	7.38	8.55	7.00
Guy & Margaret Watkins	200	1.69	8.32	7.00
Clarence Woodman	100	3.35	4.29	4.00
Edwin J. Woodward	200		8.25	6.00
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	\$ 9,125	\$ 353.67	\$ 392.52	\$ 305.00
				\$ 441.19

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF MERRIMACK, N. H. ON DECEMBER 31, 1966

NAME & PURPOSE OF TRUST FUND HOW INVESTED	Principal Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Principal Balance End Year	Income Balance Beginning Year	Income During Year Percent	Income During Year Amount	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
FUND A								
NEW FUNDS — CEMETERY LIBRARY	\$ 25,217.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 25,317.00	\$ 5,575.54	47.27	2,035.88	1,158.00	\$ 78.01
	1,710.28		1,710.28		03.21	138.25	138.25	
To be added to Chas H. Fields — SCHOOL	18,415.98		18,415.98		34.52	1,486.75	1,486.75	
By Hannah A. Fields \$100 — FIRE PREVENTION	8,000.00		8,000.00		15.00	646.04		
	53,343.26	100.00	53,443.26	6,932.59	100.00	4,306.92	3,429.04	7,810.47
FUND B								
Garnet & Rita Broad \$50 — CEMETERY 2 Graves	9,125.00	150.00	9,275.00	353.67	62.40	392.52	305.00	83.41
Leroy & Myrel Chase \$100 — LIBRARY 1/2 Lot	5,000.00		5,000.00		34.19	215.09	215.09	
	500.00		500.00		03.41	21.50	21.50	
	14,625.00	150.00	14,875.00	353.67	100.00	629.11	541.59	441.19

NOT IN COMMON FUNDS

George & Eliza Watkins — Cemetery	200.00	200.00	10.71	9.58	7.00	13.29
Manchester Savings						
Harry Watkins — Cemetery	200.00	200.00	2.62	9.05	4.00	7.67
Manchester Savings						
Harry Watkins — Prize Speaking						
Manchester Federal Savings & Loan	2,000.00	2,000.00	865.56	132.48	66.00	932.04
Harry Watkins — Prize Spelling						
Manchester Federal Savings & Loan	1,000.00	1,000.00	283.09	58.57	31.00	310.66
Harry Watkins — School						
Amoskeag	120.00*	—	—	—	—	—
Everett Parker — Last Rest Cemetery Assoc.						
Manchester Savings	3,000.00	3,000.00	—	136.52	136.52	—
Chamber of Commerce						
Manchester Savings	257.98	257.98	96.19	16.12	—	112.31

	6,777.98					
	—120.00					
	6,657.98	6,657.98	1,258.17	362.32	244.52	1,375.97
	74,626.24	74,876.24	8,544.43	5,298.35	4,044.67	9,798.11

71*Transferred to Fund C.

FUND C

Date of Creation 11-24-1965
 Harry Watkins Trust Fund — Grade School
 as received 1-11-66

Attorney's check

Attorney held

SAVINGS BANKS

Amoskeag

Manchester Fed. S & L

Manchester Savings

Merchants Savings

New Hampshire, Concord, N. H.

Shares Kind Stock

38 Capital

400 Common

120 Preferred

10 Capital

58 Capital

132 Common

480 Common

Adams Express

Amoskeag Company

Amoskeag Company

Anaconda

New Hampshire Insurance

Radio Corp. of America

Westinghouse El. Corp.

Balance Beginning Year	Gains on Sale of Securities	Balance End Year	Income	Expended	Balance End of Year
\$ 22,000.00					
599.89					
24,238.71					
16,354.52					
26,188.38					
25,390.24					
18,869.30					
1,002.37					
58,200.00					
11,640.00					
614.68					
1,874.12					
4,203.37					
23,085.00					
234,260.58	11,171.20	245,431.78	11,769.82	5,000.00	6,769.82

Nov. 26, 1965 Total received by

Trustees of Trust Funds

Real Estate Valued \$14,596.00

Balance due \$ 599.89

1963 Bank Book turned over to Trustees

Amoskeag Savings

120.00

58 218 276 New Hampshire Insurance Co.

694 43 737 Eaton & Howard Balanced Fund

253 253 Irving Trust Co.

141 141 The Home Insurance Co.

170 170 First National City Bank of N. Y.

368 368 Public Service Company of N. H.

145 145 First National Bank of Boston

93 93 Morgan Guaratee Trust Co.

185 185 The Southern New England Telephone Co.

194 194 The North River Insurance Co.

346 346 Central Illinois Elec. and Gas Co. Inc.

83 83 Western Power & Gas Company Inc.

297 297 The First Pennsylvania Banking & Trust Co.

191 191 New England Merchants Bank of Boston

Deposited Check from Attorney

599.89

Balance of Estate

Manchester Savings No. 254 127

2,474.01

134,390.63

4,786.78

Date of Creation Nov. 24, 1965 —
Harry Watkins Fund C — Grades 1 - 8

Amoskeag Savings	10,000.00	10,000.00	616.92
Indian Head Nashua	10,000.00	10,000.00	372.42
Manchester Savings	10,000.00	6,041.15	515.27
Merchants Savings	10,000.00	10,000.00	626.64
Milford Cooperative	10,000.00	10,000.00	218.75
Nashua Trust	10,000.00	10,000.00	363.70
New Hampshire Savings, Concord, N. H.	10,000.00	10,000.00	549.23
The Second National, Nashua, N. H.	10,000.00	10,000.00	408.22
The Souhegan National, Milford	1,041.15		38.17
The Suncook Bank, Suncook, N. H.		5,000.00	112.50
First Federal S & Loan, Nashua, N. H.	10,000.00	10,000.00	450.00
Nashua Fed. S & Loan, Nashua, N. H.	10,000.00	10,000.00	450.00
Manchester Fed. S & L, Manchester, N. H.	10,000.00	10,000.00	830.47

Any proceeds from Wood Lot to be added to

Amoskeag Savings Book No. 297 760 \$120.00

Real Estate Valued \$14,596.00

Stock Sheet	111,041.15	111,041.15	5,552.29
Balance of Estate In Manchester Savings	1,874.12	131,915.62	4,786.78
Prin. Book No. 254 127	599.89	610.11	16.19
Manchester Savings Int. Book No. 253-657	113,515.16	131,915.62	166.56
		245,431.78	10,521.82

REPORT OF THE COMMON TRUST FUND INVESTMENTS OF THE TOWN OF MERRIMACK, N. H. ON DECEMBER 31, 1966

			NO. OF SHARES OR OTHER UNITS	DESCRIPTION OF INVESTMENT HOW INVESTED	Principal Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Capital Gains Cash	Balance End Year	Income Beginning Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Income Balance End Year
12-31-65	Added	12-31-66										
FUND A												
				Checking Account	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
				Manchester Savings Bank								
				Book No. 205043 — Interest	955.14	100.00		1,088.02	5,575.54	342.37	43.44	7,732.46
				Book No. 205204 — Principal	60.00		.84	59.16		11.52		
12		12		Orange & Rockland Utilities	8,885.45		5.33	8,880.12		685.19		
1376	65	1441		George Putnam	9,899.60		3.32	9,896.28		950.64		
1803	61	1864		Massachusetts Investors Trust	9,908.61		7.68	9,900.93		843.18		
1661	133	1794		Fidelity								
2154	155	2309		Incorporated Investors	7,425.89		.34	7,425.55		369.44		
				(Putnam Investors Fund 1967)	8,967.29		2.36	8,964.93		719.00		
1438	70	1508		Broad Street	7,241.28		13.01	7,228.27		342.17		
883	35	916		Eaton & Howard								
								32.88				
CEMETERY					53,343.26	100.00		53,443.26	6,932.59	4,306.59	3,429.04	7,810.47
LIBRARY												
SCHOOL												
FIRE PREVENTION												

FUND B

Manchester Savings Bank						
423	10	435	Book No. 226 775 — Interest		353.67	24.05
						447.18
Manchester Savings Bank						
423	10	435	Book No. 225 599 — Principal	1,330.57		53.30
				3,475.44		146.33
1003	47	1050	Boston Fund	.52		405.43
			Puritan Fund	4.23		
				<u>4.75</u>		
CEMETERY					305.00	
LIBRARY					209.65	
SCHOOL					20.95	
					<u>535.60</u>	
				14,775.00	353.67	629.11
				<u>14,625.00</u>	<u>150.00</u>	<u>447.18</u>

MERRIMACK POLICE DEPARTMENT

In March of 1966 I assumed the duties as Chief of Police from the able and capable hands of the former Chief, Frank Flanders. As most of you know Frank left Police work to go into private business. He was Chief when in March of 1963 the town voted in its first full time Police Department. Since then there have been several noticeable changes.

I have had the satisfaction of hiring the towns' first woman police officer. Her name is Mrs. Betty Raymond, who resides on the Baboosic Lake Road. She was originally hired to take over the traffic assignment at the junction of Route 3 and Baboosic Lake Road. However, lately her duties have been extended to include the roles of matron, secretary, and probation officer, the latter according to her is one of the most rewarding. She has numerous youngsters reporting to her weekly to council and guide them through their troubled times.

I am also very happy to announce that this Department has gone on a 24-hour duty basis. What this means to you as a citizen of this town is that you can dial the Police Number anytime day or night and within a reasonable time an officer will reach your home. We do have our problems with the one cruiser however, considering the town of Merrimack has approximately 38 square miles to cover. This area is comparable to Manchester and larger than the city of Nashua. Rest assured that we will do our level best to render you the best service possible.

In November of 1965 Chief Flanders formed an association for the members of the Merrimack Police Department of which he is still president. It was established to furnish and assist Police officers in need. The new white hats, cruiser jackets, fur hats, name plates, winter boots, etc. were purchased at no cost to the town. A dance was held last October in the High School Auditorium and the proceeds were donated to the association and we wish to thank each and every one that donated and participated in this event.

JOHN R. WILDERS, JR.

Chief of Police

LIST OF COMPLAINTS — 1966

Abandoned vehicles: stolen	12
Accidents	78
Animals destroyed	17
4 cats, 1 deer, 10 dogs, 1 skunk, 1 parakeet	
Arrests for other departments;	
AWOL cases	2
Bad Checks	7
Bank Alarm	1
Bigamy	1
Breaking Entering and Larceny	7
Disorderly youngsters	26
Dog complaints	415
Drunks	15
Dumping	9
Family disturbances	10
Fatal Accidents	3
Fire Department assists	10
House Breaks	3
Hunting out of season	1
Lascivious behavior	5
Live Ammunition "Grenade" Blasting caps	2
Lost Animals	10
Lost property recovered	\$610.00
Lost persons	2
Motorists assists	8
Narcotics	2
Nuisance	13
Prowler	18
Rape	1
Statutory	1
Assault with intent	3
Recovered stolen property	
(Replacement Value)	\$6803.00
Runaways	5
Sex Molester	2
Shooting	6
Shoplifting	2
Speeding cars	19
Suspicious Persons	15
Suspicious Vehicles	6
Sudden deaths	6
Trespassing	6
Unsecured premises	26
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Total blue network calls for year 1966	4826
Day — 3479	Night — 1347

MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATION ARRESTS FOR 1966

February 28 to December 31, 1966

U Turns	1
Operating a motor vehicle after registration suspension	1
Uninspected motor vehicle	19
Operating without lights	1
Yellow Line	40
Speeding	111
Operating without a license	19
Projecting load	3
Unlawful Poss. of alcoholic beverages	12
Tire tread depth requirements	10
Passing School bus	1
Violation binder chains requirements	1
Leaving the scene of an accident	1
Failure to keep to the right	3
Stop sign	12
Following too closely	3
Operating without front headlights	1
Impeding traffic	1
Oper. after rev. of license	2
Oper. after suspension of license	5
Violation of commercial operator lic.	1
Failure to stop for a police officer	1
Reckless operation	1
Leaving the scene of a property damage accident	1
Excessive noise	3
Allowing an improper person to operate	1
Misuse of plates	1
Throwing depositing and dumping of refuse	2
Operating motor with excessive smoke	2
Failing to yield at an intersection	1
Failing to set emergency flares on a disabled vehicle	1
Operating an unregistered motor vehicle	1
Total traffic violations	<hr/> 263

MERRIMACK MUNICIPAL COURT

FINANCIAL REPORT

RECEIPTS

In Bank January 1, 1966		\$ 461.11
Fines and Bail Forfeitures	\$ 5,480.00	
Bail Posted	325.00	
Small Claims & Execution Fees	154.50	
Surety Posted	25.00	
Miscellaneous—Landlord & Tenants		
Writs, Fine refunds, Refund		
Special Justice Fees	38.50	
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		\$ 6,023.00
Total		<hr/>
		\$ 6,484.11

DISBURSEMENTS

Department of Safety — Fines	\$ 1,648.00
State of New Hampshire — New	
Hampshire Reports	11.50
Carl O. Randall — Surety	
Transferred	35.00
Bail Refunds	400.00
Witness Fees	93.00
Thomas Law Book Co. — Fisher's	
Right of Way	5.50
N. H. Ass'n Municipal and District	
Courts — Dues	5.00
Maxfield Press — Printing	
Respondents' Rights	14.75
Rae S. Laraba — Court Forms	133.90
Equity Publishing Co. — Replacement of	
Volumes 2B and 3 RSA	22.00
Claude M. Maker Agency —	
Clerk's Bond	10.00

Maxwell Press — Court Forms	29.22	
Lowell Stationery Co. —		
Filing Cabinet	94.13	
Charles F. Morrill —		
Expense to Judges Meetings,		
Cleaning Robe	14.75	
Small Claims & Execution Fees —		
Refunds	14.25	
Robert Pillsbury — Special Justice		
and Small Claim Fees	31.00	
Joseph F. Gall — Professional		
Services	46.50	
Execution Fees paid to Sheriff	18.00	
Town of Merrimack — Fines and		
Small Claim Fees	3,720.15	
		\$ 6,346.65
Balance December 31, 1966		
Second National Bank of Nashua	81.46	
Cash on Hand	56.00	
		137.46
Total		\$ 6,484.11

MERRIMACK MUNICIPAL COURT

Motor Vehicle Violations	369
Illegal possession of alcoholic beverage — minor	16
Assault and Battery	10
Landlord & Tenant Writs	5
Failure to restrain dog	3
Disorderly person	2
Breaking, entering, and larceny	1
Assault with dangerous weapon	1
Statutory Rape	1
Other miscellaneous misdemeanors	23
Juvenile	12
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	443
Small Claims	57

REPORT OF MERRIMACK FIRE DEPARTMENT

We wish to express our thanks for the co-operation extended from the public in preventing and extinguishing fires during the past year.

G. Allgaier, E. Bishop, J. F. Hall, A. Jarry, A. Burgess, Jr., H. Duxbury, A. Heath, F. Read, A. Kent, C. Warren, W. Allgaier, G. Beard, R. Bezanson, E. Cross, Jr., O. Decato, D. Flanders, J. W. French, Duane Gordon, F. Greenley, C. Hall, N. Hall, W. Hall, A. Hill, F. Hill, J. Janas, H. Linscott, N. Lombard, H. McCalvey, Sr., H. McCalvey, Jr., R. Piscopo, E. Raymond, T. Read, J. Roy, L. Schofield, R. Soucy, E. Thibodeau, C. Worster, L. Worster, C. Nute, Jr., W. Johnston, N. Peppin.

Number of House Fires	13
Car and Truck Fires	8
Brush	36
Accidents	4
Chimney Fires	1
Junk Yard	1
Smoke Investigations	4
False Alarms	1
Fire Drills	4
Dump	2
Resuscitator Calls	3
Assistance to Other Departments	4
Barn Fires	1
Pole and Tree Fires	11
Stand-By Calls	5
Machines	2
Gas Explosions	1
Sawdust Piles	1
Trailers	2
Lost People	2

In the past the department has been trying to work with the water commissioners and the townspeople outside the water district who have been experiencing water difficulties. This, however, has presented a problem. Some individuals have been abusing this privilege by leaving the doors open, water left running, and children being left to run through the station unattended. This is a condition that cannot be tolerated. We do not wish to penalize those who appreciate this service, but if this situation continues this practice will have to be discontinued.

In April the fire department initiated a system to honor the retiring members. On April 16 a banquet was held at the town hall honoring: Carold Hall, Bernard Hall, Franklin Haseltine and Joseph Roy. Within a short time after this banquet, Carold Hall who served the department for many years in South Merrimack, passed away. We were extremely pleased that he was able to attend this banquet and we were able to bestow this honor upon him.

In case of fire dial 4-5571. State location of fire. Do everything you can to keep the fire from spreading. Keep buildings closed as much as possible, and upon arrival of fire department, give them any information which may be of help to them.

Please keep all roads open so trucks can go and come at will, without being hindered by cars parked in the road.

We would also like to take this opportunity to thank the local police department and the Souhegan Mutual Aid System for their assistance during the past year.

GEORGE J. ALLGAIER,
Fire Department Chief

REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND YOUR DISTRICT CHIEF

Fire records are made by people — those who cause fires and those who control them. Your forest fire warden, deputy wardens, fire chief and firemen have, in spite of a prolonged drought, made one of the best fire control records in recent years. Despite a very dry spring, we in New Hampshire working together, have substantially reduced our fire incidence (885 in 1965 to 595 in 1966.)

This enviable record is largely due to two factors:

1. A closely coordinated and integrated state-town organization jointly carrying out programs of forest fire prevention, training and suppression with dedicated personnel.
2. Your appreciation of our forest fire control program and your individual effort in practicing fire prevention.

Statistics show, however, there is room for improvement. Major problems are still with us; (1) the careless disposal of cigarettes; (2) the householder's carelessness in burning rubbish; (3) the failure of woodlot owners and contractors to completely extinguish their brush burning fires; (4) failure to extinguish camp fires; (5) unsupervised children playing with matches.

New Hampshire has 4,339,000 acres of woodland to be protected. In 1966 we experienced 595 forest fires on this area and restricted acreage burned to 395 acres — a fine testimonial to the efficiency and dedication of the men who make up our forest fire control organization.

1. If you must burn you will need a permit. Permits are not issued between 9:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M. except on rainy days. Permits are not needed when the ground is covered with snow. To minimize risk the best way to dispose of rubbish is at your authorized town or municipal dumping area,
2. Be sure all discarded smoking material is out.
3. Don't leave a live camp or cooking fire.
4. Most important — instruct your children that matches are not playthings.

TRULY — ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT FOREST FIRES

CLARENCE WORSTER

Fire Warden

WINTHROP H. HANNAFORD

District Fire Chief

LIBRARY REPORT 1966

Number of books in library, January 1st, 1966	13,480
Number of books added by purchase and gifts, etc: 1966	571
Number of books discarded, 1966	56
Number of books lost, 1966	10
Number of books on shelves, January 1st, 1967	13,985
Number of books and magazines loaned, 1966	22,884
Magazine subscriptions, Adults 49; Young people 6.	55
Magazine gifts	4
New names added 1966. Adults 96; Young people 252.	348

LIBRARY HOURS:

Monday evening	7 to 9 p. m.
Wednesday	9:30 a. m. to 12 noon 2 to 5 p. m. 7 to 9 p. m.
Thursday	10 a. m. through to 7 p. m.
Saturday	2 to 5 p. m.

OVERDUE BOOKS:

Contact will be made for one week overdue. Cards will be sent for two weeks lapse. Then a bill will be presented for the price of the book or books, and library privileges will be cancelled until such time as the book or books are returned and the fines paid, or the price of the books refunded.

The fine is one cent per day for each day overdue.

1,110 books were borrowed from the Bookmobile from the Exeter Branch of the N. H. State Library.

The borrower is expected to repay the return postage on any books requested that are sent through the mail.

Classes from school, accompanied by the teachers, continue to be welcomed at the library on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

"Girl Scout Week" in conjunction with the Brownies was held in March. The girls displayed interesting examples of their Handiwork.

"National Library Week" was observed April 17 through the 23rd. On Saturday the children were entertained in the Children's room with a film and "Story Hour" given by Mrs. Ralph Wood.

On May 26 the first meeting of the Merrimack Historical Society was held in the library. This Society has been formed with the project in view of collecting data for a Merrimack History at some future date.

The annual N. H. L. A. meeting this year was held at Colby Junior College, New London. Mrs. Haseltine, together with several assistants and Mr. Irving Mower, Treasurer, Trustee attended.

Mrs. Alice Dickinson of Junior High presented a display in June of "Book Reviews". These were the ideas and efforts of her grade 7.

"Children's Book Week" was observed October 31 through November 5. The Library loaned a display of junior books to the Mastricola School for this week. Also on display at the library were many new Adult, Young People's and Children's books.

On Friday, November 4, approximately 700 children of grades 1 through 4 met in the Auditorium to hear talks on books given by Mrs. Beulah Haseltine, Mrs. Lorraine Wood and Mrs. Ivy Kent. This was followed by a "Story Hour" by Mrs. Wood and the film in color "The Chairmaker and the Boys". All appeared to enjoy this program under the guidance of Mr. Paul Lashua, Headmaster of Mastricola School.

The librarians attended 5 District Meetings through the year January to November. These meetings are provided by the N. H. State Library Committee to enable the District librarians to observe and look over books of all descriptions that may be purchased through the Co-operative Buying Service. Many books are reviewed at these meetings.

We have received a further \$100.00 from the state for the purchase of reference books. Thirteen are on order.

Mrs. Beulah Haseltine was the hostess of the January meeting held in this library.

Mr. Irving Mower, Treasurer Trustee, attended all district meetings as representative of the Trustees.

THE FOLLOWING HAVE DONATED
BOOKS TO THE LIBRARY

Mrs. June Abbott	Mr. Irving Mower
American Legion Auxiliary	Mrs. S. Murch
American Medical Association	Merrimack Community Club
Mrs. Raymond Bernier	Mrs. Peter Monast
Book of the Month Club	Mrs. Henry Meader
Mrs. Richard Brown	Monarch Press
Mr. & Mrs. Norton Best	National Board of
Mr. Stephen Dawley	Fire Underwriters
Mrs. Ezra Dupuis	N. H. State Planning &
Mrs. Arthur Durocher	Development Committee
Mrs. Richard Dufton	Our Lady of Mercy Woman's
Mrs. Helen Ernst	Guild
Miss Katherine Ernst	Office of Economic
Dr. Dwight Damon	Opportunity
Mrs. C. L. Farr	The O'Neil Bros.
Mr. & Mrs. Roland Fortune	Reeds Ferry Woman's Club
Mrs. Stanley Green	Mrs. Michael Ryan
Mrs. George Hall	Dr. William H. Sheehan
John Hall	Mrs. Ethel Mitchell Smith
Mr. Charles Hallett	Secretary of State Office, N. H.
Daniel Hazen	Mrs. Bessie Sperry
Mrs. Walter Howe	Mrs. Helen Stempien
Mr. George Innis	Miss Andrea Spicer
Information Service,	Mrs. John Wright, Jr.
Washington, D. C.	Mrs. Jack Price
Mrs. Charles Ireland	'Time Reading Program'
Congressman J. Oliva Huot	Mrs. M. F. Weigle
Jeffrey A. Kent	Mrs. Jean Weston
Jo-Ann Lagan	Miss Barbara Winslow
Dr. Corless Lamont	B. F. Wilson III
Mrs. George McKenny	Mrs. Ralph Wood
Mrs. Pauline Morgan	Mrs. Marguerite Woodman
Mrs. Ella Ashton — Bi-Centennial Scrap-book	
Mrs. Edward Stapanon — Three Old Plates	

BEULAH HASELTINE,
Librarian

LIBRARY TRUSTEES REPORT 1966

Balance 1965	\$ 1,258.25	
Appropriation	5,600.00	
Fines and gifts	161.48	
Trust funds 1965	325.56	
Jones trust 1966	85.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 7,430.79
Books, magazines, records	\$ 1,542.20	
Librarians salaries	2,611.11	
Fuel, lights, water, telephone	543.27	
Building maintenance	547.53	
Supplies	207.90	
Bank service charge	1.09	
Four section book stacks	280.00	
Balance 1966	1,697.69	
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CHARLES BICKFORD
IRVING MOWER
FRANKLIN HASELTINE
Trustees

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

1966 was an unusually healthy year. Children's diseases never reached epidemic proportions.

The usual number of sewerage and water supply inspections for new construction were done.

An unhealthy situation in the laundromat was inspected and corrected.

Several pre-school and school clinics were held for vaccinations and were well attended.

It is hoped that a clinic for Measles vaccination can be arranged this year.

L. A. MARCH, M.D.
Health Officer

TOWN OF MERRIMACK

MERRIMACK, N. H.

January 20, 1967

We have examined the accounts of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Library Trustees, Trust Funds, Mastricola Fund, Sewer Fund, Twin Bridges Fund and Merrimack Municipal Court for the year ending December 31, 1966, and find the receipts and payments correctly cast and properly vouched.

EMMA M. DODGE
JEAN A. RIVET
Auditors

MERRIMACK VILLAGE DISTRICT

DISBURSEMENTS FOR 1966:

Arlen Jarry (Comm. salary)	\$ 50.00
Edwin Lochren (Comm. salary)	50.00
J. Wilson French (Comm. salary)	12.50
Ronald Geiger (Comm. salary)	37.50
Arthur Kent (Clerk's salary)	75.00
Ronald Geiger (Clerk's salary)	25.00
C. Mae Clinghan (Treas. salary)	1,000.00
Ray Road Equipment	31.00
Pennichuck Water Works	286.61
Ryan's Plumbing & Heating	935.00
Frank Twardosky	844.50
Wayne Bishop	217.00
Donald G. Estey	23.00
H. V. Buker	2,987.66
George A. Caldwell Co.	70.68
ART'S T. V. & Electric	12.00
Rhodes Crane Service	3,090.50
Edgar Thibodeau	152.20
J. Wilson French	1,882.00
Town of Merrimack	28.90
Levi Stanley	100.00
Sonny D. Construction	10,829.12
Bob Lozeau	238.00
Lane Construction Co.	50.00
N. E. Pole & Wood Co.	14.88
Daniels Drilling & Blasting	90.25
Johns-Manville Sales Corp.	15,737.52
Goulet Supply Co.	3,425.95
Public Works Supply Co.	6,889.92
Merrimack Hardware, Inc.	49.86
Village Hardware, Inc.	80.18
Badger Meter Mfg. Co.	3,170.51
Darling Valve & Mfg. Co.	1,736.36
N. E. Meter Repair Co.	294.79
Sanel, Inc.	69.50
Cement Lined Pipe Co.	1,134.07
Merrimack Concrete Products Co.	110.66
H. R. Prescott & Sons	341.28
Pilgrim Acres	350.00
Tamposi Associates	53.13
Master Craft Corp.	32.29
Greenleaf Press	38.75
Phaneuf Press	46.24
Merrimack Acres	489.90

Sarah Bishop, Postmaster	350.40
Business Equipment Co.	15.00
Fred W. Suosso Co.	19.31
Philip Morris & Co.	5.50
William Diamond, Inc.	36.90
Nashua Telegraph	51.84
N. H. Water Works Association	10.00
Indian Head National Bank	.92
N. E. Business Service	24.98
White's Oil Heating Service	28.00
Reeds Ferry Lumber Corp.	28.87
Flanders Service Station	56.41
Corbin's Auto	300.00
Abbott's Store	13.90
Kiestlinger's Store	12.05
Cox's Store	15.75
Postage	2.76
Earl Bishop (supplies & expenses)	69.58
Karl Perkins	125.50
Second National Bank (Savings Acct.)	743.00
Second National Bank (Interest)	7,194.05
Second National Bank (Prin.)	14,333.33
Nationwide Insurance Co.	565.74
Earl Bishop	1,960.84
Claude Maker Agency	33.00
Public Service Company	3,105.93
Herbert Duxbury	37.50
N. H. Water Pollution	1.72
Director of Internal Revenue	396.76
Richard Scott (gas, etc.)	74.17
Merrimack Police Department	70.00
D & R Gulf Service	18.40
Arlen Jarry	766.10
Holmes Transportation	9.83
Richard J. Scott	893.00
Charles Nute, Jr.	5.00
Harry Greenleaf, Sr.	16.98
Marguerite Ryan	11.00
Henry Therriault	5.00
Marlene Legay	35.00
Donald J. Henderson	125.00
Office Supplies	1.20
Glen Drewry	15.75
Motor Vehicle Dept.	15.00

Arthur Kent	159.80
H. W. Cox (gas)	7.48
Gary Geiger	6.40
Charles F. Morrill	115.00
George Clinghan	128.25
Daniel J. Rafferty	8.00
Lawrence Lochren	22.49
Randall Raymond	8.12
Arthur D. Timmins	10.00
Thayer Read	9.00
Aaron A. Harkaway	963.44
Kerosene	.22
Thatcher Insurance Agency	135.00
Boston & Maine R. R.	10.00
Dominic Cillo	94.00
Fred Raymond	4.00
Kenneth Mason, Jr.	21.00
Paul Bishop	30.00
METER DEPOSIT REFUNDS:	
Norman Henry	25.00
Estate of George Bigwood	25.00
Ronald Lavoie	25.00
Wallace Berry	25.00
Ralph E. Jones	25.00
Edward L. Kelton, Jr.	25.00
William P. Grant	25.00
Billy W. Avery	25.00
Robert Bezanson	25.00
Asher P. Nelson	25.00
Eugene Fitzgerald	25.00
Donald Laplante	25.00
Fernand E. Bournival	25.00
Michael Vasco	25.00
Robert D. Stoddard	25.00
Joseph Hebert	25.00
Lawrence Hagen	25.00
Frank Twardosky	25.00
Harry McCalvey, Jr.	25.00
William Vincent	25.00
Donald Springer	25.00
Samuel Bielich, Jr.	25.00
Joseph Hudon	25.00
Scotim, Inc.	105.00
Frederick Rendall, Jr.	25.00
Robert Cormier	25.00

Elwyn L. Newton	25.00
William Loeffler	25.00
William Ceaser	25.00
Richard Dolbec	21.89
Harvey Read	25.00
Vaughn Townsend	20.00
Arthur F. Carey	12.50
Lily K. Tallant	20.00
Charlotte Curtis	10.00
Howard Hall	10.00
Elmer Hinton	10.00
Robert E. Cote	7.55
Edward Dean	2.57
Kenneth Costello	9.12
Philip L. Stevens	10.00
John L. Pettit	12.96
Frank Nutter	11.59
Gertrude Milas	10.00
Eugene McNellie	9.92
Jack Colburne	6.80
David Judkins	6.82

\$ 91,539.10

MERRIMACK VILLAGE DISTRICT

Cash on hand, January 1, 1966	\$ 53.23
Cash Receipts	91,524.31
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	91,577.54
Less Cash Disbursements	91,539.10
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Cash on hand, December 31, 1966	\$ 38.44

TOWN PLANNING BOARD REPORT FOR 1966

The year 1966 saw many changes both in the Planning Board itself and in the concepts of planning for a more orderly future for our town.

New members of the Board were H. V. Buker, representing the Board of Selectmen, G. H. Johnstone, and L. E. Welch. The work done by past members of the Board has been greatly appreciated, for without their efforts the burden on the present membership would have been much greater, and less could have been accomplished.

Started during the year was the distribution of the Community Planning Questionnaires to aid Thomas Associates, the planning consultants, to arrive at a Master Plan for the Town of Merrimack with concepts in line with the wishes and needs of the town's population. In addition it is a means of updating census figures and prospective school enrollments. Distribution of these questionnaires has been slow, due chiefly to the lack of federal funds for the planning project which decreased the immediate urgency for their return. It is hoped that early in 1967 the distribution and return will be complete so that the information will be readily available whenever funds are authorized.

During 1966 an up-dating of the Lot Size Requirements of the Zoning Ordinance took place. Presented to the Board as a petition, the changes and their modifications by the Board were brought before two public hearings, and then upon a ballot vote at a Special Town Meeting, were passed and adopted.

Also during the year, the Board was authorized by vote of the people at the Special Town Meeting, to establish Subdivision Control Regulations. These regulations are in effect in most of our neighboring towns, and are intended to control engineering standards in new developments. Compliance with these standards not only adds to orderly development, but insures that a person's investment in property within a subdivision is protected and enhanced. Much time has been devoted to the formulation of a workable set of regulations, and soon after a public hearing early in 1967, they will be placed into effect.

Attending the Community Planning Seminar presented in Concord by the State Department of Resources and Economic Development, were G. H. Johnstone and L. E. Welch. Tuition for these sessions was paid by the Town of Merrimack. Many new concepts along with current problems of other communities throughout the state were aired at these meetings. This seminar in conjunction with other similar meetings during the year has equipped the members of the Board with knowledge of modern community planning ideas.

A major element of the Board's future effort will be to undertake a complete up-dating of the town's zoning. This has recently become extremely important since several commercial enterprises have expressed genuine interest in locating in Merrimack, but the availability of properly zoned land is sorely lacking. Parcels of land may now be granted a variance, but this method of zoning is hap-hazard and definitely not conducive to good planning in any respect.

It is the hope of every member of the Board that the people of the town will continue to support and cooperate with their efforts.

Respectfully submitted for the Board,

GORDON H. JOHNSTONE, Chairman

REPORT OF THE MERRIMACK ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

During 1966 the Board held seven public hearings on requests for variances from the terms of the Zoning Ordinances. Action was taken on a total of twenty-two variances at hearings held on the following dates: April 12, May 11, June 8, July 19, September 20, October 4, and November 21. Additional meetings were held during the year by Board members for the purpose of viewing properties whereon variances were requested and writing decisions relative to the requests.

One member of the Board, Wilbur Witty, submitted his resignation late in the year. Roland Farland, who was appointed by the Board of Selectmen to replace Mr. Witty, has also served previously as an alternate appointee at the July 19 hearing. Current membership of the Board now includes Roland Farland, Franklin L. Haseltine, Walter H. Peavey, Harold L. Thresher, and John E. Lyons.

Members have been discussing revisions to the procedure for handling variances and expect to make these available in published form shortly.

Respectfully submitted for the Board,

JOHN E. LYONS
Chairman

REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

1966 marks the first complete year of enforcing the building code and zoning ordinances and I would like to congratulate the builders for their cooperation during this transition.

Merrimack is now in line with the adjoining cities in regards to building code and it is my feeling that the safety and health of the residents are being adequately protected.

This year 276 permits were issues for a total valuation of \$2,692,725. A breakdown is as follows:

177 new residences	valuation	\$2,216,200.
26 commercial	valuation	398,500.
62 residential alteration	valuation	78,025.
11 signs		

In 1966 a Building Code book was printed and issued to the contractors. This is a compilation of the several codes as adopted by the townspeople.

House numbers have been issued in the developments for better identification.

The urgent need for an updated street directory was evident and with the cooperation of the town office employees, all town departments now have a complete directory with new streets added as future developments are approved.

With the accelerated growth of the town pointing up the need for a more balanced development control, recommendations have been made to the Planning Board for a review of available commercial sites. It is my hope that more land may be rezoned commercial to encourage new business development.

EDWIN S. JOHNSTON
Building Inspector

CIVIL DEFENSE

Civil Defense meetings are held each month on the last Friday of the month, at the CD room in the Town Hall, at 7 P. M.

RACES — Radio network — drills are held each Tuesday at 7:30 P. M., on 147. 42 Mc.

Your Civil Defense has been considering the organizing of an ambulance rescue service for the Town, to work in aiding the police and fire departments; at present it is necessary in emergency cases to send to Nashua for an ambulance or rescue crew, this causes an unavoidable 15-20 minute delay in transporting a patient to the hospital.

A team of Civil Defense members have been taking the Red Cross First-Aid Course, in Nashua, each Monday night, both the regular course and advanced, which they will have completed by Town Meeting Day, in March. On completion of these courses, they will be ready to instruct additional members as needed, to man a 24-hour ambulance service.

There is Eight-hundred dollars, (\$800.00) presently in the Civil Defense account, and with this amount we can obtain an ambulance and enough basic equipment to get started.

We also request that the sum of Two-hundred fifty dollars, (\$250.00) per year, be reinstated to the Civil Defense annual budget to operate this service. (For gas, oil, repairs, etc.) This amount, after the first year, or second, should be self-liquidating.

Frederick W. Moriarty
Civil Defense Director

Marriages Registered in the Town of Merrimack, N. H. for the year ending December 31, 1966

Date	Place	Name	By Whom Married
1966			
Jan. 22	Merrimack	Alfred L. Poulin	Rev. Denis Downey
		Marcia Boulton	Roman Catholic Priest
Jan. 23	Nashua	James C. Burgess	Walter C. Righter
		Joyce E. Jordan	Priest of the Protestant Episcopal Church
Jan. 29	Hollis	Raymond W. Covey	Rev. Philip H. Mitchell
		Cheryl A. Frazier	Ordained Minister
Feb. 20	Manchester	Bruce J. Broady	Samuel Umen
		Norma E. McKay	Rabbi
Feb. 24	Nashua	James R. Irwin	James R. McGreal
		Laura C. Thibodeau	Roman Catholic Priest
Mar. 4	Merrimack	Tony A. Cromwell	Rev. Francis Huber
		Carol A. Frost	Minister
Mar. 26	Derry	George R. Sprague, Jr.	Oscar E. Giguere
		Kathleen M. West	Roman Catholic Priest
Apr. 1	Hudson	Kenneth A. Boulanger	Sidney F. Baker
		Virginia L. Currier	Justice of the Peace
Apr. 2	Merrimack	Norman J. Hall	Charles F. Morrill
		Phyllis C. Boles	Justice of the Peace
Apr. 16	Nashua	James E. Tupper	Rev. H. A. Blanchard
		Emelie A. Boucher	Catholic Priest
Apr. 16	Merrimack	Gerald L. Bernier	Rev. Denis Downey
		Suzanne J. Brown	Roman Catholic Priest
Apr. 23	Nashua	Roger W. Landry	Rev. H. A. Blanchard
		Joan A. McGrath	Catholic Priest
May 12	Merrimack	Edwin L. Philbrick	Rev. Francis Huber
		Joan Wilson	Minister
May 14	Milford	Clayton G. Todd	Geo. B. Higgins
		Laila I. Tucker	Minister of the Gospel
May 19	Milford	Apthorp R. Heath	Charles A. Gaines
		Mary E. Bourne	Unitarian Universal Clergyman
May 28	Merrimack	Maurice A. Chouinard	Rev. Denis Downey
		Lucille M. Mower	Catholic Priest
June 3	Merrimack	Irving L. Mayo, 3rd	Charles F. Morrill
		Kathleen A. Vital	Justice of the Peace
June 4	Merrimack	Arthur A. Morin	Rev. Denis Downey
		Pamela J. Arnold	Roman Catholic Priest
June 5	Merrimack	Everett M. Rayno	Rev. Francis Huber
		Susie A. Allard	Minister
June 11	Nashua	Edward E. Miller	Rev. Fernand Pichette
		Dorothy E. Miner	Roman Catholic Priest
June 19	Merrimack	William G. Fraser	Rev. Francis Huber
		Shirley V. Waters	Minister
July 2	Merrimack	Ned W. Melcher	Rev. Francis Huber
		Grace A. Dustin	Minister

July	2	Merrimack	Lane A. Dwyer	Rev. Denis Downey
			Linda L. McIntyre	Roman Catholic Priest
July	9	Nashua	Ronald G. Cote	John D. Wilcox
			Barbara L. Lougee	Justice of the Peace
July	9	Manchester	Roger F. Boudreau	Rev. Maurice Lampron
			Mary L. True	Catholic Priest
July	16	Merrimack	Roland N. Lanphear	Rev. Francis Huber
			Julia R. Sutay	Minister
Aug.	6	Merrimack	Edward R. Pearson	Rev. Denis Downey
			Sheila A. Durocher	Roman Catholic Priest
Aug.	13	Merrimack	Ronald B. Miner	Rev. Francis Huber
			Virginia L. Silva	Minister
Aug.	17	Merrimack	Wayne F. Diehm	Charles F. Morrill
			Gaye M. Fitzpatrick	Justice of the Peace
Aug.	19	Manchester	Robert J. Poulin	Dort S. Bigg
			Waneeta L. Lodge	Justice of the Peace
Aug.	27	Merrimack	Charles R. Dittrich	Rev. Denis Downey
			Donna L. Alber	Roman Catholic Priest
Aug.	27	Manchester	Emile J. Poliquin	Rev. John Horan
			Margaret M. Cotting	Catholic Priest
Aug.	29	Bedford	Francis X. Demers	Dort S. Bigg
			Lucille V. Lefebvre	Justice of the Peace
Sept.	3	Hollis	Joseph L. G. Niquette	Charles F. Dow
			Lynn S. Soucy	Justice of the Peace
Sept.	3	Nashua	Thomas A. Hrutky	Charles F. Keeley
			Susan A. Best	Justice of the Peace
Sept.	10	Merrimack	Harry M. Weaver	Rev. Francis Huber
			Carol A. Klardie	Minister
Sept.	10	Merrimack	Richard E. Hoag	Rev. Denis Downey
			Susan Wilkins	Roman Catholic Priest
Sept.	17	Hudson	Francis B. Barry	Rev. Maurice R. Logueux
			Madeline A. Jeannotte	Roman Catholic Priest
Sept.	24	Merrimack	Larry L. Cole	Rev. Denis Downey
			Beverly A. Skoglund	Roman Catholic Priest
Sept.	24	Merrimack	Ernst K. Sorens	Charles F. Morrill
			Anna E. Sorens	Justice of the Peace
Oct.	6	Merrimack	Arthur T. Longa	Charles F. Morrill
			Edna L. Moran	Justice of the Peace
Oct.	8	Merrimack	Ralph E. Maker	Chester L. Atkins
			Irene Beliveau	Minister
Oct.	22	Manchester	Thayer A. French	Richard L. Thayer
			Joyce A. Moore	Minister
Nov.	12	Merrimack	Daniel F. Rafferty	Rev. Francis Huber
			Judith A. Watkins	Minister
Nov.	19	Merrimack	Alfred R. Latour	Rev. Denis Downey
			Roberta F. Burghardt	Roman Catholic Priest
Nov.	19	Milford	Ernest L. Cote	H. W. Holder
			Sandra J. Young	Priest Protestant
				Episcopal Church
Nov.	24	Merrimack	Aime J. Tanguay	Rev. Denis Downey
			Rita C. Putnam	Roman Catholic Priest
Nov.	26	Nashua	Richard W. Garstang	Rev. Maurice Bergeron
			Rita C. Quint	Roman Catholic Priest

Nov. 28 Hudson	Michael C. DeVito	Sidney F. Baker
	Susan J. Webster	Justice of the Peace

I hereby certify that the foregoing returns of Deaths, Births, and Marriages are correct according to my best knowledge and belief.

Attest: CLAUDE M. MAKER, Town Clerk of Merrimack, N. H.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Merrimack, N. H. for the year Ending December 31, 1966

Date	Place	Name of Deceased	Yrs.	Place of Burial
1965				
Sept. 1	South Kingston, R. I.	Frank Hartwell Bills	77	Merrimack, N. H.
1966				
Jan. 13	Nashua	Irene J. Duffina	58	Hudson, N. H.
Feb. 13	Merrimack	Melvin O. Berry	32	Merrimack, N. H.
Feb. 18	Nashua	Ernest L. Williams	63	Grafton, N. H.
Feb. 21	Merrimack	Gertrude M. Mitchell	90	Nashua, N. H.
Mar. 5	Merrimack	Alfred R. Roy	63	Nashua, N. H.
Mar. 24	Manchester	William E. Hale	52	Merrimack, N. H.
Apr. 9	Merrimack	Arthur C. George	65	E. Andover, N. H.
Apr. 18	Nashua	Dora M. Falla	73	S. Merrimack, N. H.
May 13	Merrimack	Alice E. Haskell	75	So. Portland, Maine
May 16	Merrimack	Guy H. Burroughs	71	Merrimack, N. H.
May 20	Nashua	Erla Miner	60	Antrim, N. H.
May 21	Nashua	John Demers	68	So. Merrimack, N. H.
May 28	Nashua	Jody L. Cox	15	Merrimack, N. H.
June 8	Merrimack	Gerald W. Perry	63	Merrimack, N. H.
June 16	Manchester	Esther G. Clark	60	Merrimack, N. H.
June 26	Manchester	Helen Watkins	62	Merrimack, N. H.
July 4	Nashua	Donald S. Woodward	83	Merrimack, N. H.
July 4	Merrimack	Edith M. Kurkjian	74	Newport, N. H.
July 7	Manchester	John O. Baxter	74	Hudson, N. H.
July 8	So. Merrimack	Carold F. Hall	69	So. Merrimack, N. H.
July 11	Nashua	Lemuel H. Beach	72	Milford, N. H.
July 22	Manchester	Agnes Kiestlinger	92	Manchester, N. H.
July 24	Merrimack	Wendy E. Holt	8 mos.	Merrimack, N. H.
Aug. 16	Manchester	Garnet P. Broad	50	Merrimack, N. H.
Aug. 25	Nashua	Willmer B. Duffina	66	Hudson, N. H.
Sept. 2	Merrimack	Phillip R. Guyette	88	Hollis, N. H.
Sept. 6	Nashua	Herbert A. Bilbow Sr.	77	Nashua, N. H.
Oct. 3	Concord	Marion R. Glines	72	Merrimack, N. H.
Oct. 10	Manchester	John Bolton	66	Bedford, N. H.
Oct. 10	Nashua	Thomas Watkins	83	Merrimack, N. H.
Oct. 30	Manchester	Alfred E. Hutchinson	88	Merrimack, N. H.
Nov. 13	Merrimack	Thaddeus A. Gajewski	32	Bedford, N. H.
Nov. 30	Merrimack	Albert A. Dusseault	46	Lewiston, Me.
Dec. 5	Merrimack	Peter S. Monast	62	Merrimack, N. H.
Dec. 6	Bedford	Joseph A. Roux	86	Merrimack, N. H.
Dec. 11	Manchester	Arthur H. Durocher	58	Merrimack, N. H.
Dec. 14	Manchester	Theresa McNally	84	Dover, N. H.

Births Registered in the Town of Merrimack, N. H. for the year Ending Dec. 31, 1966

Date	Place	Baby's Name	Father's Name	Mother's Maiden Name
1964				
May 17	Nashua	Frederick William, Jr.	Frederick W. Schaefer ...	Dorothy J. Sturgeon
1965				
Nov. 22	Nashua	Brian Webster	Robert T. Duarte	Marla R. Webster
1966				
Jan. 4	Nashua	Michael Allen	Forrest A. Hall	Doris M. Cox
Jan. 7	Nashua	David Alan	Donald L. Barrett	Shirley A. Salvail
Jan. 10	Nashua	Peter Graham	Floyd H. Jenkins	Janet S. Ashworth
Jan. 15	Nashua	Russell Thomas	Richard V. Saari	Evelyn C. Shock
Jan. 20	Nashua	Lisa Jean	Richard J. Greenleaf, Jr. .	Elizabeth A. Hall
Jan. 30	Nashua	Glenn Maurice	Raymond A. J. Fraser	Margaret M. Laliberte
Feb. 2	Nashua	Heather Liesl	Willard L. DeCato	Cynthia L. Clifford
Feb. 2	Nashua	Elizabeth Ann	James W. Coelho	Mary J. Pender
Feb. 6	Nashua	Brian James	Normand Ernest Hamelin	Jacqueline I. Sylvestre ...
Feb. 12	Nashua	Susan Bonney	Donald F. Hayes	Joanne A. Calvetti
Feb. 14	Nashua	Nicole Susanne	Roger W. Bonenfant	Helen E. Lajoie
Feb. 17	Nashua	Robert Allen	Walter E. Johnston	Marjorie J. Pollard
Feb. 17	Manchester	Joseph John	John H. Cashwell	Penelope M. Burnham
Feb. 20	Nashua	Kristine	James Karafelis	Elaine Metakos
Feb. 24	Nashua	George Angelo	Thomas W. Cox	Sophia Michalopoulos
Feb. 27	Nashua	Roxanne	Robert D. Raxter	Lillian Woodward
Mar. 2	Nashua	David Anthony	Anthony J. Lojko	Elizabeth J. O'Dea
Mar. 5	Manchester	David Arthur	Richard J. Weed	Joanne L. Duval
Mar. 19	Manchester	Jamie Ann	Donald W. Flanders	Joan M. Roy
Mar. 23	Nashua	Mark Stephen	Robert C. Richardson	Ann J. Sughrue
Mar. 28	Nashua	Wade Ferguson	Raymond L. Bernier	Jacqueline V. Frost
Apr. 3	Nashua	Thomas Andrew	Paul L. J. Blow	Phyllis M. Byrnes
Apr. 7	Nashua	Henri Richard	Richard C. Moreau	Patricia A. Loukides

Apr.	8	Nashua	Dawn Marie	Warren W. Adams	Patricia Anne Malette
Apr.	13	Nashua	Eric	Gerald R. Eckman	Fay L. Sangrey
Apr.	14	Nashua	Andrew James	Jean R. Roy	Ellen F. Powell
Apr.	16	Manchester	Laura Louise	Robert J. Bagdis	Genevieve J. Pustis
Apr.	18	Nashua	Juanita Felicia	Clarke E. Lang	Jacqueline L. Hodgkins
Apr.	20	Lowell, Mass.		Charles J. Connor	Sylvia Bartlett
Apr.	20	Nashua	John Andrew	Robert H. Cook	Linda W. Cook
Apr.	30	Nashua	William Frederick	Ralph F. Maker	Carol A. Arseneault
May	5	Nashua	Corey Alan	Robert D. Marden, Jr.	June N. Kimball
May	6	Manchester	Darlene Ann	Clifford J. Borgman	Irene Alyre Kniek
May	7	Nashua	Douglas George	Arthur D. Blouin	Phyllis D. Huggins
May	14	Nashua	Mary Ann	Robert J. Cormier	Anna H. Bourgeois
May	15	Nashua	Timothy Charles	Charles E. Baldic	Pamela J. Fittock
May	21	Manchester	John Francis	Raymond A. McCracken	Maureen C. McKenna
May	21	Nashua	Laurie Ann	Eugene D. Sizemore	Diana M. Boland
May	24	Manchester	Ann Marie	Donald R. Landry	Maryann C. Page
May	28	Nashua	Lisa Lynne	Alfred H. Dubois	Beverly J. Fairbanks
May	28	Nashua	Brian Peter	Peter B. Wood	Donna L. Watkins
May	29	Nashua	Susan Elizabeth	Peter J. Flood	Jacqueline J. Booge
June	2	Nashua	Mark Donald	Donald H. Bujold	Arlene C. Thiboutot
June	3	Nashua	Melissa Colleen	Richard S. Drouin	Bernice E. Banfield
June	5	Nashua	Diane Leona	George C. Latour, Jr.	Sandra L. Davis
June	10	Manchester	Erlon Leslie	Erlon L. Emerson	Moir Duncan
June	10	Nashua	Scott Allen	Charles K. Watkins	Madelyn R. Shelton
June	14	Manchester	Maria Lynn	William J. Desgrossellier	Frances L. Gilbert
June	18	Nashua	Adam Guy	Walter E. Laro	Marcia A. Philbrook
June	23	Nashua	Matthew Peter	Raymond P. Dube	Cecelia M. LaPoint
June	23	Nashua	Richard Joseph	Donald R. Masibas	Mary A. Thibodeau
June	25	Lowell, Mass.	Andy Michael	Alfred E. Latulippe	Mira A. Brooks
June	25	Nashua	Lynn Marie	Thomas F. Kopka	Madeleine E. Lapierre
June	25	Nashua	Carl Edward	Carl E. Church, Jr.	Jadwiga Dutkowiak
June	27	Manchester	Mark Wallace	Arthur R. Prentiss	Judith L. Brown
June	29	Nashua	Virginia Louise	William F. Guenther	Claire R. Belle-Isle

June	30	Nashua	Timothy Mark	Edward A. Renaud	Marguerite Cecile Castonguay
June	30	Nashua	Michele Ann	James R. Manning	Nancy M. Travers
July	6	Nashua	Eric Kurt	Hans K. Zintel	Maxine M. Doyle
July	8	Nashua	Wayne Thomas	Richard W. M. Garstang	Thelma M. Sears
July	9	Nashua	Lisa Ann	James C. Burgess	Joyce E. Jordan
July	12	Manchester	Michael Preston	Robert P. Draper	Louise J. Belanger
July	13	Manchester	Timothy John	Orrin H. Connell	Edith M. Murphy
July	27	Nashua	Paul Andrew	Hugo W. Flinkstrom	Evelyn M. Merron
July	29	Nashua	Steven Michael	Theodore E. Lemire	Kathleen J. Drouin
Aug.	1	Nashua	Cristin Colleen	Edward M. Ducey, Jr.	Betsy Poole
Aug.	2	Manchester	Paula Jean	Joseph E. Annis	Jacqueline J. Proulx
Aug.	7	Nashua	Lisa Ann	William James Melancen ..	Mary Chrystell Moore ..
Aug.	10	Nashua	Karen Gail	Paul R. Joyal	Katherine E. Salvo
Aug.	17	Nashua	James Edward	Lionel E. Lavoie	Priscilla R. Gosselin
Aug.	21	Lowell, Mass.	Gerard Ronald	Gerard C. Lefebvre	Rita T. Gamache
Aug.	23	Nashua	Caroline Mary	Frank Morris	Joyce E. Dunlap
Aug.	24	Nashua	Alan Glenn	Alfred Emile Garceau	Ava Sylvia Couture
Aug.	25	Manchester	Barbara Ann	Ludger Joseph Roy	Rita Marie Racette
Aug.	25	Nashua	Verna Michelle	Steven L. Mignogna	Marva K. Lyons
Sept.	8	Nashua	Matthew Jay	Raymond James Hawes ..	Theresa Virginia Drago ..
Sept.	10	Manchester	Keith Alan	Thomas H. Pickles	Barbara A. Baker
Sept.	10	Nashua	Susan Gail	John T. Terry	Beverly A. Wakefield
Sept.	16	Nashua	Lisa Arlyne	George A. MacIlroy	Patricia J. Farrar
Sept.	21	Manchester	Paul Arthur	Harold J. Robichaud	Teresa Curran
Sept.	22	Nashua	Jean-Guy	Jean-Guy Gelinias	Muriel C. Obin
Sept.	23	Nashua	Kathleen Mary	Donald C. Crooker	Mary R. Coffey
Sept.	24	Nashua	Bonnie Dawne	Ralph F. Evaschuk	Helen J. Mayo
Sept.	26	Nashua	Kelley Lee	David G. Lennon	Virginia M. Trombly
Sept.	29	Manchester	Gary	Nicholas Pirog	Geraldine A. Horne
Oct.	1	Nashua	Lisa Ann	John A. Diaz	Rita B. Grandmaison
Oct.	4	Nashua	William Richard	Robert E. Tardiff	Cecelia A. Collins
Oct.	5	Manchester	Matthew John	Albert E. Burt, III	Doris P. Ricard
Oct.	16	Nashua	Colleen Elizabeth	Gordon F. Bartlett	Fern B. Dember
Oct.	17	Nashua	James Matthew	Joseph F. Pynenburg	Dorothy A. Maker

Oct.	23	Nashua	Christine Ann	Roger L. Deering	Carol A. Vane
Sept.	22	Nashua	Julie Ann	Frank Higham	Mary Hilda Beamish
Oct.	14	Nashua	Christopher	Daniel S. Franzoso	Judith Demarais
Oct.	30	Nashua	Dena Leslie	Carl L. Dahl	Pamela A. Shepherd
Nov.	6	Nashua	Sandra Anne	Ernest H. Cote	Pauline L. McMahon
Nov.	11	Nashua	Jason Paul	Franklin E. Robbins	Sylvia L. Thibodeau
Nov.	18	Nashua	Pamela Susan	Arthur F. Hooker	Theresa A. Cote
Nov.	23	Nashua	Paul James	Edward J. Creager, Jr.	Anita L. Harnois
Nov.	27	Nashua	Douglas Russell	David M. O'Hara	Dona Rae Homan

ANNUAL REPORTS

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MERRIMACK, N. H.

for the

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1966

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Moderator

John E. Lyons

Clerk

Elizabeth A. Hummel

Treasurer

Alice W. Read

School Board and Trustees

James E. Crowley

Francis J. O'Gara, Jr.

Mary M. Moriarty

School Auditors

C. Mae Clinghan

Roland J. Noel

Planning and Building Committee

John J. Donnelly (67)

Robert E. Piscopo (68)

Frederick Moriarty (67)

John E. Lyons (68)

Norman E. Brown (69)

Earl C. Dodge (69)

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Merrimack qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Merrimack Junior High School Auditorium in said Merrimack on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March, next at six of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board, Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the District.

2. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

3. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,010.00 for the payment of tuition and transportation to other schools, for the education of handicapped children, who are not eligible for programs provided by the school district.

4. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for School District officials and agents and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District.

5. To see if the District will authorize the School Board to make application for and to receive in the name of the District such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government, the State of New Hampshire or any other federal or state agency.

6. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000.00 for the purpose of extending transportation services to pupils in grades 9-12, at district expense, in accordance with the provisions of school board policy.

7. To see if the District will allow the use of the Junior High School Auditorium once each year free of charge, to Merrimack Non-Profit Organizations, for fund-raising with only custodial fees to be charged; all other provisions to be in accordance with Rules and Regulations pertaining to the Use of School Facilities.

8. By Petition of — Elaine Ann Holt, Evelyn M. Shorey, William C. Shorey, and others: To see if the District will vote to increase the number of members on the School Board from three to six.

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Merrimack on this 8th day of February, 1967.

F. J. O'GARA, JR.
JAMES E. CROWLEY
MARY M. MORIARTY
School Board

A true copy of Warrant — Attest

F. J. O'GARA, JR.
JAMES E. CROWLEY
MARY M. MORIARTY
School Board

**MERRIMACK SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOOL WARRANT**

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Merrimack, New Hampshire, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the School Auditorium in said District on the 14th day of March, 1967, at 6 A. M. in the forenoon to act upon the following questions:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board and trustees for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To choose two Auditors for the ensuing year.
6. To choose two members of the Planning and Building Committee for the ensuing three years.

The Polls will be open from 6 A. M. and will close no earlier than 6:30 P. M.

Given unto our hands at said Merrimack this 8th day of February, 1967.

F. J. O'GARA, JR.
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MERRIMACK SCHOOL BUDGET

	Budget 1966-67	Budget 1967-68
SERIES		
100 ADMINISTRATION		
110 Salaries	\$ 1,145.00	\$ 1,160.00
135 Contracted Services	440.00	450.00
190 Other Expenses	330.00	330.00
200 INSTRUCTION		
210 Salaries	428,970.00	486,180.00
215 Textbooks	11,217.00	12,527.00
220 Library & Audiovisual Materials	2,189.00	3,996.00
230 Teaching Supplies	12,920.00	16,431.00
290 Other Expenses	2,775.00	2,169.00
300 ATTENDANCE SERVICES	100.00	100.00
400 HEALTH SERVICES	5,440.00	9,950.00
500 PUPIL TRANSPORTATION	25,200.00	30,200.00
600 OPERATION OF PLANT		
610 Salaries	23,900.00	26,900.00
630 Supplies	3,905.00	3,910.00
635 Contracted Services	150.00	150.00
640 Heat	10,200.00	10,000.00
645 Utilities	10,260.00	10,800.00
690 Other Expenses	30.00	30.00
700 MAINTENANCE OF PLANT	3,458.00	12,928.00
800 FIXED CHARGES		
850. Employee Retirement & F.I.C.A.	36,959.64	42,799.00
855 Insurance	4,427.14	4,237.00
900* SCHOOL LUNCH & SPEC. MILK PROG.	11,500.00	11,500.00
1000 STUDENT-BODY ACTIVITIES	4,200.00	3,975.00
1200 CAPITAL OUTLAY		
1267 Equipment		6,155.00
1300 DEBT SERVICE		
1370 Principal of Debt	50,500.00	50,300.00
1371 Interest on Debt	27,026.63	25,459.50
1390 Other Debt Service		20.00
1477 OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS IN STATE		
1477.1 Tuition	925.00	
1477.3 Supervisory Union Expenses	12,007.65	14,679.80
1479 EXPENDITURES TO OTHER THAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS	328.00	4,210.00
1900 TITLE I	5,000.00	5,000.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$695,503.06	\$796,546.30

ESTIMATED REVENUE

UNENCUMBERED BALANCE	\$ 21,705.20	\$
REVENUE FROM STATE SOURCES:		
Sweepstakes	15,565.00	15,565.00
Foundation Aid	81,724.59	81,724.00
School Building Aid	11,498.01	15,090.00
Driver Education	600.00	600.00
Intellectually Retarded		1,000.00
REVENUE FROM FEDERAL SOURCES:		
NDEA - Title III - Science, Math & Lang.		1,000.00
NDEA - Title V - Guidance & Testing	2,515.00	2,515.00
Sch. Lunch & Special Milk Program	8,000.00	8,000.00
PL 874 (Impacted Area-Cur. Oper.)	5,600.00	5,600.00
Other Revenue from Fed. Sources		
Title I	5,000.00	5,000.00
LOCAL REVENUE EXCEPT TAXES:		
Trust Fund Income	11,000.00	11,000.00
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TOTAL REVENUES and CREDITS	\$163,207.80	\$147,094.00
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DISTRICT ASSESSMENT TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES	\$532,295.26	\$649,452.30
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TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$695,503.06	\$796,546.30

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Merrimack:

Since my report of last year the educational climate in Merrimack has changed in a positive and significant manner. This is evident in the quality and quantity of educational opportunity at all grade levels. The completion of the new Merrimack High School has provided us not only with the opportunity to develop and offer a comprehensive high school program, for the first time in the history of Merrimack, but has created more classroom space for our growing elementary program.

We have added art and guidance services to our elementary program and have been successful in reducing our pupil-teacher ratio to a desirable teaching level of approximately 30-1. This condition prevails at all grade levels except grade seven where large September enrollments and immigration since have created excessively large classes. This problem will be somewhat alleviated next year by adding another teacher and creating another division for this level.

Despite our recent construction efforts we are presently confronted by ever increasing enrollments and excessive demands on classroom space. This is evidenced by preliminary plans for next year which call for placing grade eight with grades nine through twelve in the high school to make room for three more divisions of pupils grades one through seven. There can be no doubt but what additional building construction must be undertaken next year and be available for September, 1968, if we are to just "hold the line," on our present programs. If our projected enrollments are too conservative and immigration continues at its present rate, we may find even that date too late. To give an idea of the impact new residents to town are having on our school system one has only to consider that since school opening in September, 1966, to January 9, 1967, our pupil enrollment in grades one to eight increased by approximately 40 pupils. In order to meet the needs for this fantastic growth Merrimack must be prepared to take action on additional construction of school facilities.

The past year has served notice on two other areas of educational concern. Our growth has manifested numerous problems relative to transportation and the need of improved educational opportunities for handicapped children. The school district should seriously consider providing public

transportation for all school children at all grade levels at district expense. The school district needs to establish a special class for educable children as soon as adequate space can be made available and sustained. Provision must be made for the complete educational support for our handicapped children that must attend other schools in other districts.

The people of Merrimack should take pride in the quality of their instructional staff that serve the boys and girls. Top priority should continue to focus on maintaining a desirable salary schedule which will continue to enable us to attract and hold good teachers.

Our current instructional staff is composed of many new people due primarily to the addition of eighteen people since last year.

NEW TEACHERS

Miss Joella Blood, Newport, N. H., additional grade 3 teacher. Miss Blood graduated from Plymouth State College, 1966, B.E.

Duane F. Brown, Hudson, N. H., Art, grades one through eight. This is a new and special service introduced this year. Mr. Brown attended the University of New Hampshire.

Mrs. Margaret Brown, Nashua, N. H., B.S. Elementary Education, Elmira College is an additional grade 4 teacher. Mrs. Brown previously taught in California and Connecticut.

Mrs. Ruth Brown, Nashua, N. H., Ed. B. Rhode Island College, 1943, graduate work at R. I. College and Boston University, replaces Mrs. Ruth Hamblett in the Remedial Reading area. Mrs. Brown resigned her position of Language Arts Consultant, American Book Company to accept this position.

Miss Marilyn Cameron, Lowell, Mass., B.A. New England College, 1966, practice taught at Sutton, N. H. Miss Cameron teaches grade 3, replacing Mrs. Coutris who resigned.

Mrs. Elizabeth Coonley, Milford, N. H., Guidance Counselor grades 1-8. KTC 1958, graduate studies at Plymouth State and University of Massachusetts. Mrs. Coonley previously taught at Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H.

Miss Diane Davis, Franklin, N. H., B. Ed., 1966 Plymouth State College is an additional grade one teacher.

Mrs. Carol Day, Henniker, N. H., N. E. College, 1966, B.S., is an additional teacher, teaching Math, grades 5, 6, 7, and 8.

Mrs. Barbara Dorian, Claremont, N. H. replaced Miss Haberman, grade 2. Mrs. Dorian graduated from KTC 1964, previous experience in Newport and Claremont, N. H.

Mrs. Earline Draper, Tilton, N. H., Plymouth State College 1965, replaces Miss Frain grade one. Mrs. Draper previously taught in Laconia.

Albert S. Francis, Jr., Methuen, Mass., replaced Miss Fox and teaches English grades 5, 6, 7 and 8. Mr. Francis graduated from Lowell State College, B.A. Liberal Arts 1966.

Erik Gonzalez, Lowell, Mass., Keene State College, 1966, B. Ed., grade 5 and 6 Math. Mr. Gonzalez practice taught at Keene Jr. High School.

Mrs. Martha Gonzalez, Melrose, Mass., Keene State College, 1966, B. Ed., is an additional grade 3 teacher, due to increased enrollment.

Miss Shelia Grady, Manchester, N. H., additional grade 1 teacher, B.A. Elementary Education, 1966, New England College, practice taught at Concord, N. H.

Richard E. Hall, Keene, N. H., B. Ed. Keene State College, 1966, Science, Merrimack High, previously taught at Keene, N. H.

Mrs. Elaine Holt, Merrimack, N. H., A.B. Boston University, 1963, replaced Mrs. Cross in grade 2. Mrs. Holt previously taught in Brookline, Westwood and Littleton, Mass.

Miss Joan Lester, Reeds Ferry, replaced Mr. Garrahan and teaches Reading, grades 5, 6, 7, and 8. Miss Lester graduated from Keene State College, 1962, B. Ed. Elementary Education. Previous teaching experience Newton, Plaistow, Derry and Londonderry, N. H.

Miss Ann MacDonald, Sea Girt, N. J., B.A. Rivier College, 1966 replaced Mr. Liamos, Social Studies grades 5, 6, and 7.

Miss Janet Mehrtens, Hicksville, N. Y., N. E. College B.A. Elem. Education, an additional teacher grade 5 and 6, English.

Miss Patricia Perrin, Keene, N. H., Keene State College 1966, additional grade 2 teacher.

Miss Judith Plaisted, Center Harbor, N. H. Plymouth State College, 1966, B. Ed. Elementary Education, teaches English grade 5.

Miss Jacqueline Pomerleau, Manchester, B.A. Univ. of N. H., 1965 teaches grade 4 replacing Mrs. Lambert who resigned. Miss Pomerleau previously taught grade 4 in Seabrook, N. H.

Mrs. Patricia Pow, Bedford, N. H., University of N. H., B.A. Elementary Education replaced Mrs. Sampson, grade one.

Miss Donna Reed, Claremont, N. H., Plymouth State College, B. Ed., 1966, grade 2. Miss Reed practice taught at the Speare School, Plymouth, N. H.

Miss Judith Schinella, Concord, N. H., Plymouth State College, 1966, B. Ed. replaced Mrs. Couture in grade 4.

Mr. John Shean, Newport, N. H., B. Ed., Keene State College 1966 teaches Social Studies, grades 5, 6 and 8.

Miss Evelyn Showerman, Windsor, Vt., B. Ed., Plymouth State College, 1966, additional teacher grade 1.

Miss Patricia Vaughn, Lowell, Mass., State College, Lowell, B.S. Elementary Education, 1966, additional grade 2 teacher.

Mr. Eugene Whittemore, Milford, N. H. Keene State College, 1958, B. Ed., teaches Industrial Arts, Merrimack High. Previous experience Sandwich and Milford, N. H.

Miss Mary Ann Yergeau, Barre, Vt., B. E. Keene State College, 1966, additional teacher grade 2. Miss Yergeau practice taught at the Wheelock School, Keene, N. H.

In conclusion, the efforts and cooperation of the school board, the instructional staff and all other school district employees is recognized and appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

CLAUDE H. LEAVITT
Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF THE ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Mr. Claude H. Leavitt
Superintendent of Schools
Merrimack, New Hampshire

Dear Mr. Leavitt:

It is with a great deal of pleasure and a sense of anxiety to be about the work ahead that I submit my first annual report.

At this writing I have only been associated with the Merrimack School District for somewhat less than four months. However, even within this short period of time, I have had the opportunity to view personally the excellent instructional program that is being maintained, even in the face of staggering increases in school enrollment. The willingness and desire to foster and encourage quality within the school system is certainly a tribute to the citizens of this community.

During the current year the pupil-teacher ratio in the primary grades has been reduced to less than a 30-1 ratio. This reduction in class size coupled with the high calibre of personnel staffing the various classrooms has resulted in a degree of instruction comparable to any within the confines of our state.

During the current academic year Merrimack elementary school children are benefiting from the services of a full time guidance counselor. Mrs. Coonley's services have proved to be a valuable addition to the elementary program, helping to assist each child in achieving full intellectual potential and personal social competence. Guidance services should be continuous, beginning when a child enters school and following him through till the end of his formal school career. The comprehensive guidance program now in existence helps to meet these needs.

Children in the eleven to fourteen year age bracket are undergoing basic physiological and psychological changes, the educational impact of which is only beginning to be appreciated. In an attempt to provide the most suitable setting for this age group we have established the middle school concept in Merrimack. Within the confines of this form of school organization teachers are permitted to specialize in one or two areas. In an age when the emphasis in curriculum organization is shifting from content to concept, we must provide our teachers with a framework within which they can become

specialists rather than generalists. We must also give them the opportunity to translate these specialties into the type of practical knowledge, that children of this age need, to succeed both as students and citizens. We hope, through this system of organization, to fulfill these needs.

Second in priority to quality teachers is the ability to maintain a teacher-pupil ratio within which the teacher can meet the individual needs of each youngster. Of paramount concern in the immediate as well as the distant future are adequate physical facilities to house the students in groups of 25-30 per teacher. If proper classroom sizes are not maintained the teacher is forced to direct instruction toward the middle of the group depriving many of the youngsters the type of individualized instruction they require.

In the final analysis the instructional program depends, in its entirety, on the quality and dedication of the teaching staff. You are very fortunate in Merrimack to have a staff deeply imbued with both qualities.

In closing may I thank the School Board and yourself for your direction and guidance, the staff for its cooperation, and finally may I congratulate the citizens of Merrimack for their dedication to excellence in the educational program.

Respectfully submitted,

PETER G. DOLLOFF
Assistant Superintendent

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

The citizens of Merrimack are to be commended for their action in providing their young people with the additional and more adequate facilities of the new high school building.

In my annual report of 1961 I had indicated three areas in our secondary school program which I felt were of major concern and deserving of serious consideration. Those areas were Physical Education, Practical Arts and Science. Although our new plant does not provide for a physical education program, the science laboratories and equipment are excellent. Additional rooms have also made it possible for us to offer a few practical arts courses such as Mechanical Drawing and Electricity, in addition to courses in Home Economics and Business Education which were previously offered. In short, the new high school facilities have enabled us to improve and expand our curriculum so that we are presently approved as a Comprehensive High School, by the New Hampshire State Department of Education.

Listed below are some of the highlights of the 1965-1966 school year:

In September, Merrimack High School fielded its first Varsity Soccer Team. Approximately forty boys, coached by Mr. Lawrence Cross, participated in this sport and enjoyed a twelve game schedule.

The School Band traveled to Rochester and Deerfield to participate in the annual parades and concerts. The group made very impressive appearances and were awarded prizes for their efforts.

October — The Merrimack High School Chapter of the "Future Teachers of America" was host to other chapters in the area for the annual district meeting.

Members of the Student Council Association attended the Monadnock Regional Student Council Meeting which was held at Peterborough High School.

November — The Student Council Association sponsored its annual Magazine Sales Campaign. The purpose of this campaign is to raise funds for the scholarship program. It was a very successful activity which made it possible for the council to award four scholarships to graduating senior.

The Nineteenth Annual Watkins Prize Speaking Contest was held on the 5th of November. The program was as follows:

1. William Penrod "Exit the Big Bad Wolf"
by Luella McMahan
2. Deborah Mahoney..... "Lamentations of a Teen-ager"
by Jenny Gray
3. Gary Dittrich "They Stood Alone"
by Nancy Krider
4. Wendy Malette "Peggy's Birthday"
by Pauline Phelps
5. Debra Shorey "The Cat Came Back"
by Leota Hulse Black
6. Jo Ann Garvey "Junior Miss's Christmas"
by Chodorov-Fields
7. Christine Gatchell "The Littlest Angel"
by Charles Tazewell
8. Mary Dwyer "Betty Does the Ironing"
by J. L. Harbour
9. Steven Joyal "Dad Held 'Em Up"
Anonymous
10. Tamara Avery "The Highwayman"
by Alfred Noyes
11. Louise Kiestlinger "Trimming Her Husband"
by Albert Van Antwerp
12. Thomas Hahn "Tom Sawyer's Victory"
by Mark Twain

Prizes were awarded as follows:

1st Prize	\$30.00	Debra Shorey
2nd Prize	20.00	Steven Joyal
3rd Prize	10.00	Mary Dwyer
4th Prize	5.00	Thomas Hamn
5th Prize	1.00	Gary Dittrich

December — Sandra Monte won the Merrimack High School "Voice of Democracy" Contest, sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars. She received a trophy and a Savings Bond from the Merrimack Post.

The varsity basketball team participated in the Annual Monadnock League Holliday Tournament which was held at Conant High School in Jaffrey, N. H. Merrimack was defeated in the semi-finals by Conant High School.

January — Sandra Monte was chosen, by her classmates and faculty members, to be the recipient of the D. A. R. Good Citizenship Award.

February — The Second Annual High School Winter Carnival was sponsored by the Class of 1968. The various activities provided many exciting and enjoyable moments for all students. The climax of the weekend came during the Carnival Ball when Sandra Zintel was crowned queen of the carnival.

March — Merrimack's Varsity Cheerleaders participated in the Nashua High School Invitational Cheerleading Tournament. As winners of the tournament, they were presented a beautiful trophy for their outstanding performance. Members of the participating team were: Capt. Sandra Monte, Donna Lefabvre, Joann Wallace, Tina Hahn, Susan McRoberts, Leslie Phelps and Beatrice Bureau.

April — On April 2nd a Band Workshop was held on the high school gymnasium. Members of the University of New Hampshire Band and their director worked with, and provided instruction for members of our band and members of other school bands from surrounding communities. An excellent concert by the University Band was presented to the public during the evening. Many thanks to our music director, Mrs. Mary Donnelly, for conducting such a fine activity.

May — On May 13th the Junior Prom was held at the Berkshire Country Inn, Nashua. In a most appropriate setting Miss Christine Smith was crowned Queen of the 1965 Prom.

The Ninth Annual Watkins Spelling Bee was held on the 17th. Mr. Raymond Edwards was the pronouncer.

The winners were:

1st Prize	\$15.00	Robert Hanson
2nd Prize	10.00	Deborah Price
3rd Prize	5.00	Douglas Field
4th Prize	1.00	Donna Patten

June — Senior activities began on June 8 with a class trip to Nantasket Beach.

The Senior Banquet was held at the Olde Coach Inn, Nashua, on June 13. The evening program included dinner, presentation of the 1966 "Echo" and dancing. This was a most exciting evening and one that will long be remembered by all.

Class Day Exercises were held on June 15. During the program awards were presented to graduating senior and to members of the athletic teams. Plaques donated by the Merrimack Boosters Club were presented to members of varsity teams, and the Baseball Team presented the Monadnock League Championship Trophy to the school. Following this program the Home Economics Department, under the direction of Mrs. Archambault, honored the Seniors and their parents at an afternoon tea and reception.

On June 17th, Graduation Exercises were held in the gymnasium. The Commencement Address to fifty-two graduating seniors was delivered by Mr. John McGrath, Superintendent of Schools, Belmont, Massachusetts. Diplomas were presented by Mr. Claude H. Leavitt, Superintendent of Supervisory Union #27.

Nancy Kepler participated in the Granite Girls State Program at the University of New Hampshire from June 26 through July 2. During this same week David Barlow and Edward Hall represented our school at Profile Boys State, which was also held at the University. These two programs are sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary and the American Legion with the local posts sponsoring the individual students.

SENIOR AWARDS

Valedictorian Award	Mariette Hahn
Salutatorian Award	Donna Lyons
Balfour Award	Marie Bois
Scholarship Letter	Mariette Hahn
Bausch & Lomb Award (Science).....	Joseph Liberty
Babe Ruth Good Sportsmanship Award (Girl)	
	Sandra Monte
Babe Ruth Good Sportsmanship Award (Boy)	
	James Lindsay
D. A. R. Good Citizenship Award	Sandra Monte
Bette Crocker Award	Elizabeth Renaud
Crisco Award	Linda Dube
American Agriculturists Award	Margaret Pelletier
McCalls Teen Fashion Award	Gail Thurlow
Readers Digest Award	Mariette Hahn
Reeds Ferry Women's Club Scholarship.....	Mariette Hahn
P. T. A. Scholarship	Marie Bois
American Legion Scholarship	Sandra Monte
Merrimack Teachers Association Scholarship	
	Donna Lyons
Student Council Scholarship	Marie Bois
Student Council Scholarship	Joseph Liberty
Student Council Scholarship	Gail Thurlow
Student Council Scholarship	Joyce Johnson
Greenleaf Memorial Scholarship	Marie Bois
South Village Club Award	James Lindsay

REPORT OF GRADUATES

Arnold, Margaret	Sanders Associates, Nashua
Arseneault, Nancy	Sanders Associates, Nashua
Bell, Barbara	Indian Head National Bank, Nashua
Bernard, Stuart	Sanders Associates, Nashua
Bethel, Frances	Sanders Associates, Nashua
Bois, Marie	Notre Dame College, Hooksett
Brown, Roger	University of New Hampshire
Burt, Leonard	Carnegie Institute, Boston
Carey, Vicki	Rich's, Nashua
Church, Brian	U. S. Navy
Church, Nancy	New England School of Art, Boston
Daly, Patricia	N. H. College of Accounting and Commerce
Demanche, Lillian	Hesser Business College
Demers, Hedley	New Hampshire Plating Co.
Dube, Linda	Nashua Corporation
Dunham, Daniel	Merrimack Engineering, Inc., Nashua
Fannie, Barbara	Employed, Keene
Fisher, Timothy	Employed, New York City
Fitzgerald, Lawrence	Unknown
Gagnon, Thomas	Clyde Garfield Oldsmobile-Cadillac
Greenfield, Shirley	Sanders Associates, Nashua
Greenleaf, Reagh	N. H. Vocational Institute, Manchester
Hahn, Mariette	University of New Hampshire
Hanson, Sharon	Hollis Engineering, Nashua
Harvey, Gail	Sanders Associates, Nashua
Johnson, Joyce	Weaver Airlines Personnel School
Jones, Leslie	Doehla Greeting Cards, Inc.
Kablik, Phyllis	Sanders Associates, Nashua
Kane, Douglas	Thompson School, Univ. of N. H.
LaPlante, Donna	Sprague Electric Company, Nashua
Lathe, Richard	McCallister Scientific
Lefabvre, Donna	Hesser Business College
Liberty, Joseph	Northeastern University
Lindsay, James	Gallaudette College, Washington, D. C.
Lyons, Donna	Plymouth State College
Mason, Warren	New Hampshire Plating Co.
McCann, Edward	Sanders Associates, Nashua
McInerny, Margaret	Pilgrim Furniture Company
Monte, Sandra	University of New Hampshire
Nelson, Gloria	Nashua Business College

Newton, Jane Doris McCostis Realty
 Newton, Peter University of New Hampshire
 Paine, George Electro-Mechanisms, Nashua
 Pelletier, Margaret New England School of Art, Boston
 Prince, Doris Bell Telephone Company, Detroit
 Puckett, Linda Granite State Beauty School, Nashua
 Rafferty, Daniel, Pynenburg's Service Station
 Redhead, Judith Clyde Garfield Oldsmobile-Cadillac
 Rocca, Gary Morse Shoe Store, Nashua
 Stone, DeForest United States Navy
 Thurlow, Gail Norte Dame College, Hooksett
 Tripp, Alan New England Aeronautical Institute, Nashua
 Watkins, Louis Watkins Construction, Merrimack
 Webster, Susan Sanders Associates, Nashua
 Zintel, Sandra Doehla Greeting Cards, Nashua

MERRIMACK JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Principal's Report

The middle school concept is new to Merrimack this year. Grades five, six, seven, and eight are departmentalized in the four basic academic areas of English, mathematics, science, and social studies and are located in the old high school building. New additions to the curriculum are art and music. Developmental reading is taught as a subject in grades seven and eight for the first time this year. There is a limited physical education program planned but due to lack of facilities and equipment, it is not fully implemented.

Pupils in the departmentalized program benefit by having different teachers for each subject who are specialists in their fields. Classes are homogeneously grouped to enable pupils to progress according to their own ability. Grouping is flexible and whenever pupils can profit by changing to another group, they are changed. Although departmentalization requires many hours of extra administrative work, benefits to students, through this method of grouping, justify the time expended.

Problems center around the lack of classroom space. Enrollment since September has increased by 75 pupils with the seventh grade having the largest groups. Three classes were formed for the 7th grade and the average per class is now at 40 pupils. The 19 classrooms contain a total of 570 pupils in comparison to last year's 470. The 100 additional pupils roughly represent three classes yet we are housing them in the same 19 rooms. There is no room left for a central library, and the gymnasium and stage area are being used for study halls, instrumental lessons, and vocal music classes, thereby restricting its use for physical education or drama purposes. These activities are in addition to the use of the stage for cafeteria purposes.

It should be kept in mind that these enrollment figures are accurate only through January 9, 1967. This does not take into account the growth that will undoubtedly take place between January and September. New students are registering every week.

Teaching of reading received a boost through the acquisition of new equipment financed by the National Defense Education Act. Five new shadowsopes were purchased in addition to a new overhead projector, a tape recorder, two film strip projectors and a tachomatic-500. Miss Joan Lester, who

joined the teaching staff this year after teaching four years in another district, attended a reading workshop for one week during the summer to learn how to use the new equipment. In-service reading meetings have been held by Miss Joan Lester and by Mrs. Ruth Brown, our reading specialist. Pupils continue their reading skill development from wherever they left off in sixth grade. Those advanced in reading, who do not need this additional help, have emphasis placed in literature as a part of their regular English classes.

A Book Fair was held in the school and pupils had the opportunity to purchase many books. The library, now located in the outer room of the guidance office, increased by approximately 300 new books purchased through the government funded Title II program.

Ralph Smith serves in an administrative capacity for the first time this year as assistant principal of the Merrimack Junior High School under Paul Lashua, who is serving as Principal of the Mastricola and the Merrimack Junior High Schools. Mr. Smith taught social studies for nine years in the Merrimack School system. He teaches social studies and English this year, in addition to his administrative duties. Ralph Smith has a Bachelor of Science degree from Boston University and a Master of Education degree from Fitchburg State College. His home is in Pepperell, Massachusetts.

The establishment of a new school as such and the increase in numbers of classes meant the building of a new faculty. Eight of the seventeen faculty members in grades five through eight, are new to the Merrimack School system. Of these eight new teachers, only one had previous experience. When a system is fast growing it is difficult to add experienced teachers along with beginning teachers because there aren't any available. We are fortunate indeed that our new teachers are hard working and capable because starting the middle school with so many teachers not only new to teaching, but new to our school system, has been very demanding.

The interest and endorsement by many parents of the students in the departmentalized middle school is greatly appreciated. They have expressed their cooperation through their support of school activities, through conferences, notes and telephone calls. Pupils benefit most when parents and teachers work together.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL C. LASHUA

Principal

MASTRICOLA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Principal's Report

Increased enrollment continues to challenge the elementary school. Although the Mastricola School contained grades 1-6 in 1965-66 it is now a primary school with the exception of one fourth grade. Grades 1-6 housed in 26 classrooms during the 1965-66 school year require 38 classrooms this year. What is in store for the secondary school is easily discernable when you know that there are 9 first grades containing 210 pupils and 8 second grades with 190, compared to the present senior high school enrollment of approximately 300.

Since September 133 new pupils have enrolled in grades 1-4 and only 19 have transferred. Seldom a week goes by without the enrollment of new students. These figures are accurate only through January 9, 1967. With the many housing developments under construction in Merrimack it is anticipated that the enrollment will continue to soar. Classroom space now overtaxed will be inadequate by next fall.

Specialized services increased this year with the addition of Mrs. Elizabeth Coonley, guidance counselor for grades 1-8, and Duane Brown, the new art specialist who teaches classes in the Mastricola and Merrimack Junior High Schools. This is the first time that art has been introduced as a formal part of the curriculum.

Mrs. Ruth Brown, formerly the American Book Company Reading Consultant, is the new reading specialist. In light of research that has revealed the greatest cause of retardation in reading as overplacement, Mrs. Brown established two major goals for the 1966-67 year. They are — (1) placement of basal reading materials at the pupil's instructional level, (2) making provisions for meeting individual needs of pupils.

To achieve these goals the reading specialist has:

1. At the teacher's request, assisted in determining the level of instruction of individual pupils.
2. Tested and helped to evaluate pupil's **specific** needs.
3. Inventoried pupils referred by the classroom teacher as potential candidates for remedial help.
4. Consulted with the guidance counselor to determine the relation between ability and achievement-factors important in deciding whether remedial help is necessary.

5. Inventoried each pupil entering Merrimack elementary grades to determine his instructional level for immediate proper group placement.
6. Assisted the guidance counselor by supplying data (gathered through inventorying and testing) needed for individual pupil evaluation and counseling.
7. Instituted a program of remedial instruction for pupils whose reading achievement is either one-plus years below their ability, according to teacher's judgement, inventories, scores on standardized reading tests as well as the recommendation of the guidance counselor.

As of January 9th, more than 130 pupils have been given individual inventories to establish instructional level. Twenty seven remedial classes are being conducted with over 50 pupils from grades 1-7 participating.

The reading teacher conducts demonstration lessons for classroom teachers and has conducted two in-service curriculum meetings for teachers in grades 1-8.

Enrichment activities for the pupils have increased this year. In addition to opening the public library weekly for pupils grades 3 through 8, Mrs. Beulah Haseltine, the librarian, provided a movie and book talks for primary pupils during Book Week in November. Mrs. Ralph Wood in continuing her weekly story telling in the primary grades and a Book Fair was held during American Education Week making books available to students at a minimum cost. Three hundred new books have been added to the school library purchased through government money available via Title II funds.

In addition to two professional assembly programs for which money was budgeted, special assemblies were provided through the Center for Arts Exposure, Title III, another government grant.

Physical education equipment was purchased through money made available by the Parent Teachers Association for use on the playground and in the gymnasium.

Professional improvement continues in spite of the crowded schedules caused by soaring enrollment figures. Reading, mathematics and penmanship workshops were held before the opening of school in September. Mrs. Elizabeth Coonley has attended several specialized guidance meetings and Mrs. Ruth Brown went to the New England Reading Meeting held in Bos-

ton last October. A number of in-service curriculum meetings were held within the building structured around such topics as mathematics, reading, and the effective use of audio-visual aids. A new booklet prepared by the State Department of Education, **Guidelines and Recommendations for New Hampshire Public Elementary Schools, K-6**, was presented to the teachers by John Economopolous, **Elementary Consultant, State Department of Education**. Up-to-date viewpoints regarding the organization, programming, and staffing practices of public elementary schools are highlighted in this publication and these areas were discussed with the teachers. In addition to these in-service workshops and professional and curriculum meetings, many teachers continue to take courses.

Achieving desired educational goals is difficult when a majority of the schools energy is dissipated just keeping pace with the soaring enrollment figures. In spite of the enrollment problem a variety of educational activities continue to take place.

Respectfully submitted

PAUL C. LASHUA,
Principal

HIGH SCHOOL GUIDANCE REPORT

Mr. Claude Leavitt
Superintendent of Schools
Hudson, New Hampshire

Dear Sir:

The following paragraphs briefly summarize my report for the school year, September 1965 — June 1966.

- Grade 7 Stanford Achievement Test Battery
- Grade 8 Stanford Achievement Test Battery
- Grade 10 School and College Ability Test, Cooperative English — Reading Test, Numerical Competence and High School Mathematics Test.
- Grade 11 The Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test and the National Merit Qualifying Exam were administered on two separate Saturdays
- Grade 12 For those students who were interested in college, arrangements were made for the College Entrance Examinations, American College Test and the N. L. N. — Pre-Nursing Exam.

For those students interested in employment after graduation, arrangements were made with Employment Security for vocational testing.

As you know, the purpose of our testing program is to gain information that will be helpful to all concerned to have a better understanding of each pupil, his talents, achievements and interests. To further promote this objective, a workshop on the use and interpretation of tests and test results for teachers of grades 1-8 was held prior to the opening of school.

There are times when the collected results of an achievement test give us some understanding of how, as a school or particular grade level, we compare with others. Such was the case with the results of last year's Sophomore Class, indicating that 75% of Merrimack Sophomores scored average or better in comparison with other sophomores in the nation.

In cooperation with the Civics teachers, freshmen were given an interest inventory, the results of which served as a basis for a study of some interest-related occupation.

While last year was the largest enrollment ever in grades 7 through 12, every effort was made to continue having conferences with parents, teachers, and students to discuss problems as well as educational-vocational goals. In addition to Junior High School students testing, counseling, and conferences were held in the Mastricola School on a limited basis.

Increased opportunities were given for students to hear tape recordings on a variety of semi-skilled and professional occupations. Personnel from junior colleges, business schools, vocational and technical institutes, nursing programs, beauty schools, colleges, business, industry and armed forces were brought in to discuss with students the opportunities and programs each presented.

Since educational-vocational guidance was first offered full time in September 1962, the materials relevant to educational and occupational information have more than tripled and have had to be moved to the school library where there is ample room and opportunity for student use.

That all these things, and more, were done under the services of personal, educational, and vocational counseling and guidance should indicate that the program was highly successful.

However, it was not as successful as it could have been, nor will it ever be truly successful until every student in every grade has an equal opportunity to profit from all the services that should be made available.

Whether it be the elementary, junior high or high school, unless there is increased professional assistance, any program of services will have to be less than maximum and even then only as successful as crowded conditions allow.

It is on these improvements that I ask for your assistance.

Respectfully,

NORMAN E. BROWN

ELEMENTARY GUIDANCE REPORT

An elementary guidance program for pupils in grades one through eight is established for the first time this year. These grades contain over twelve hundred children, thereby making a 1200 to 1 counselor-pupil ratio. Due to time limitations in dealing with such large numbers of children it is not always possible to use individual screening and counseling techniques; therefore, in some cases, group situations have had to suffice.

Counseling and conferences are available to students, parents, and teachers. Many teacher-parent guidance counselor team conferences are held to solve academic and social problems.

Individual counseling helps pupils develop a better understanding of their educational strengths and weaknesses. By helping students face the challenge of their own potential, they take an increasingly greater responsibility for their own academic success. Individual testing is available to all pupils as an evaluative tool, whenever it is indicated that it will contribute additional knowledge about a pupil.

The readiness of each child to meet the academic demands is carefully evaluated. First grade pupils who show, by readiness testing and teacher observation, that they are not up to the desirable level of maturity, receive additional attention through individual testing and evaluation by the guidance counselor. When needed, the teacher, parent and counselor, join in conference to help the child achieve maximum potential and to realistically discuss the child's school placement.

New pupils entering our school are aided in orientation to the new environment by individual conferences. Their academic and social development is reviewed through screening the records from their previous schools.

The facilities of special schools and public and private agencies have been used to meet individual needs.

Evaluation of pupil progress is a continuous process. Checking progress helps to assure proper placement. The major goal of this elementary guidance program is preventative, rather than remedial.

A majority of the guidance time has been used in the following ways:

All pupil guidance folders reviewed and filed by grade and homeroom.

Permanent records brought up to date.
Sending for and evaluating records of new pupils.
Meeting all new pupils for orientation conferences.
Meeting self-referred pupils for counseling.
Meeting with self-referred teachers for counseling in respect to pupil needs.
Seeing teacher referred pupils.
Seeing parent referred pupils.
Seeing administration referred pupils.
Individual testing — Binet, WISC (ability tests.)
Supervising the administering of group tests (achievement and ability).
Screening of pupils with above-average ability to see if they are working to expectation.
Conferences with pupils who appear to need additional encouragement or diagnosis for aid in realization of potential.
Team conferences — teacher, nurse, administration.
Conferences with teachers about academic progress of pupils.
Social adjustment — individual and group conferences.
Special planning and adjustment for pupils with unique needs.
Screening for special placement (special class).
Reporting academic records to schools when pupils transfer.
Group conferences with teachers concerning individual pupil problems.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH L. COONLEY

Elementary Guidance Counselor

REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR

July 1, 1965 to June 30, 1966

July 4th Junior and Senior Band and all baton groups participated in Merrimack's 4th of July Celebration.

September — With the opening of school and crowded conditions the Music Department was transferred to the basement of the Merrimack Grammar School. This was rather difficult especially with the lag of traveling of the Junior and Senior High chorus.

Junior and Senior Bands played for dedication of Merrimack Post Office.

Senior Band participated in Rochester Fair opening parade — second prize in marching.

Band parents gave Senior Band members an outing at Canobie Lake.

Deerfield Fair — Senior Band received first prize marching and second grand prize in Concert.

November — Nashua — Christmas parade.

April — Sponsored University of N. H. Concert Band and thanks to kindness of many of the townspeople we were able to house 72 students. A band clinic was offered in the afternoon with Hollis, Milford, and Hudson accepting. It was very rewarding to all students and the evening concert was well received and all hostesses praised their guests.

May — Brookline, N. H. — Memorial Service, Senior Band.

Merrimack, N. H. — Memorial service, Junior and Senior Band.

June — Canobie Lake — Senior Band presented an exhibition.

Laconia — V. F. W. State Convention — Senior Band.

Graduation — Glee Club and Seniors sang. Gail Thurlow received Band Association award for best all-round music student.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY C. DONNELLY
Music Supervisor

Comparative Budget Statement and Expenditures for School Year 1965-1966

Item	Description	Budget	Spent
110	District Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,145.00	\$ 1,145.00
135	Contracted Services	340.00	124.00
190	Other Expenses	205.00	239.39
210.1	Teachers' Salaries	313,945.00	310,942.90
210.3	Clerical Salaries	3,840.00	3,992.00
215	Textbooks	10,000.00	7,943.89
220	Library & Audiovisual Materials	2,138.00	586.38
230	Teaching Supplies	10,140.00	8,786.87
235	Contracted Services	125.00	125.00
290	Other Expenses	1,345.00	952.44
310	Truant Officer	100.00	100.00
400	Health Services	5,180.00	5,073.73
535	Transportation	21,600.00	24,238.72
610	Janitors' Salaries	19,100.00	17,010.70
630	Janitors' Supplies	3,023.46	2,507.84
635	Contracted Services	150.00	244.00
640	Heat	8,500.00	4,829.82
645	Utilities	8,500.00	7,254.72
690	Other Expenses	30.00	3.34
700	Maintenance of Plant	5,142.00	5,288.90
850	Teachers' Retirement & F.I.C.A.	25,114.91	23,349.51
855	Insurance	5,300.00	4,787.49
975.1	School Lunch Federal Monies	8,000.00	10,301.57
975.2	School Lunch District Monies	3,500.00	3,500.00
1010	Salaries for Student-Body Activities	1,650.00	1,450.00
1075	Expenses for Student-Body Activities	1,550.00	1,458.12
1265	Sites — Yard Improvement	1,000.00	1,600.00
1267	Equipment	6,401.83	16,555.66
1370	Principal of Debt	50,850.00	49,650.00
1371	Interest on Debt	30,127.12	28,406.05
1390	Other Debt Services	15.00	0
1477.1	Tuition	925.00	1,020.83
1477.3	Supervisory Union Expenses	9,132.49	9,132.49
1477.5	Payments into Capital Reserve Fund		14,829.27
TOTALS		<u>\$558,114.81</u>	<u>\$567,430.63</u>

RECEIPTS FOR 1965-1966

11.11	Current Appropriation	\$388,754.39
19.1	Trust Funds	1,908.86
19.3	Rent	100.00
31	Foundation Aid State of N. H.	117,665.04
32	School Building Aid State of N. H.	14,895.00
35	Intellectually Retarded	100.49
36	Sweepstakes State of N. H.	20,481.86
39	Other Revenue from State of N. H.	21,705.65
41.1	NDEA Title III	1,640.84
41.2	NDEA Title V	33.00
42	Vocational Education	275.13
45	Federal School Lunch Program	10,301.57
47	PL 874	8,784.00
48	PL 89.10	2,490.00
2001	Balance on Hand, July 1, 1965	0
TOTAL RECEIPTS		<hr/> \$589,135.83
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		\$567,430.63
BALANCE ON HAND, JUNE 30, 1966		<hr/> \$ 21,705.20

REPORT OF REVENUE ADJUSTMENT

from

STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

October 21, 1966

Your report of appropriations voted and property taxes to be raised for the 1966-67 school year has been approved on the following basis:

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$695,503.06
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Revenues and Credits:

Unencumbered Balance	21,705.20
Sweepstakes	15,565.00
Foundation Aid	81,724.59
School Building Aid	11,498.01
Driver Education	600.00
NDEA — Title V, Guidance & Testing	2,515.00
School Lunch & Special Milk Program	8,000.00
PL 874 (Impacted Area — Cur. Oper.)	5,600.00
PL 89-10 (ESEA)	5,000.00
Trust Fund Income	11,000.00

TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	163,207.80
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AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY 1966 PROPERTY TAXES	532,295.26
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TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$695,503.06
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STATE TAX COMMISSION

Lawton B. Chandler, Commissioner

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

for the

Fiscal Year July 1, 1965 to June 30, 1966

NEW MERRIMACK HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING FUND

Cash on Hand July 1, 1966		15,500.00
Received from all Other Sources	419,868.17	
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Total Receipts		419,868.17
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		435,368.17
Less School Board Orders Paid		395,543.05
Balance on Hand June 30, 1966		39,825.12

ALICE W. READ
District Treasurer

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Merrimack, N. H. of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1966 and find them correct in all respects.

August 29, 1966

ROLAND NOEL
C. MAE CLINGHAN
Auditors

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
for the
Fiscal Year July 1, 1965 to June 30, 1966

JAMES MASTRICOLA SCHOOL BUILDING FUND

Cash on Hand July 1, 1966	578.58
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	578.58
June 30, 1966	
BALANCE ON HAND JUNE 30, 1966	578.58

ALICE W. READ
Treasurer

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

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August 24, 1966

C. MAE CLINGHAN
ROLAND NOEL
Auditors

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

for the

Fiscal Year July 1, 1965 to June 30, 1966

Cash on Hand July 1, 1966		.00
Received from Selectmen	\$388,754.39	
Revenue from State Sources	174,848.04	
Revenue from Federal Sources	23,249.41	
Received as Income from Trust Funds	1,908.86	
Received from all Other Sources	4,524.75	
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TOTAL RECEIPTS		\$593,285.45
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TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR FISCAL YEAR		\$593,285.45
LESS SCHOOL BOARD ORDERS PAID		571,580.25
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Balance on Hand June 30, 1966		21,705.20
June 30, 1966		

ALICE W. READ
Treasurer

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August 29, 1966

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ROLAND NOEL
Auditors

**MERRIMACK HIGH and MASTRICOLA ELEMENTARY
LUNCH PROGRAM**

July 1, 1965 to June 30, 1966

Beginning Balance July 1, 1965		\$ 2,719.06
Lunch Sales — Children	\$ 40,988.05	
Lunch Sales — Adults	2,597.60	
Reimbursement	10,301.57	
District Appropriation	3,500.00	
Misc. Cash	2,933.44	
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Total Receipts		\$ 60,320.66
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Total Available		\$ 63,039.72
Expenditures:		
Food	39,673.26	
Labor	15,801.75	
Equipment	1,075.00	
All Other Expenditures	3,365.49	
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Total Expenditures		\$ 59,915.50
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Balance — June 30, 1966		\$ 3,124.22
Other Program Resources:		
USDA Commodities Received	\$ 6,350.17	
Donations	161.00	

**BALANCE SHEET
Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1966**

Assets:		
Cash in Bank		\$ 3,124.22
Accounts Receivable		
Reimbursement due Program		2,053.76
Food Inventory		1,840.62
Supplies Inventory		230.50
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Total Assets		\$ 7,249.10
Liabilities:		
Withholding Tax Payable	\$ 540.22	
FICA Tax Payable	372.14	
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Total Liabilities		\$ 912.36
Working Capital		6,336.74
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Total Liabilities and Working Capital		\$ 7,249.10

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE M. GREENLEAF

**MERRIMACK HIGH AND MASTRICOLA ELEMENTARY
LUNCH PROGRAM**

July 1, 1965 to June 30, 1966

Daily Average Children Fed Lunches:

Merrimack High	346
Mastricola Elementary	521

Average Daily Meals	867
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(55 Daily meals were transported from High School to Sixth Grade at Merrimack Grammar School)

Daily Average Children Fed Lunches:

September 1966 to December 31, 1966

Merrimack Junior High	450
Mastricola Elementary	400
Merrimack High	110

Average Daily Meals	960
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(120 Daily meals were transported from Junior High to High School and 55 transported to the Fourth Grade at the Merrimack Grammar School.)

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE M. GREENLEAF

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
CLASSES AND ORGANIZATIONS
July 1, 1965 to June 30, 1966

	Receipts	Expendi- tures	Balance
Class of 1965	\$ 458.04	\$ 458.04	\$ 00.00
Class of 1966	2,204.30	2,204.30	00.00
Class of 1967	2,408.18	1,227.20	1,180.98
Class of 1968	648.39	101.80	546.59
Class of 1969	342.47	26.84	315.63
Class of 1970	65.10	0.00	65.10
Library Fund	820.46	260.50	559.96
School Newspaper	32.96	0.00	32.96
Drama Club	88.91	19.50	69.41
Ski Club	131.98	46.03	85.95
Business Club	26.01	25.10	.91
Student Council	2,378.20	1,532.47	845.73
Athletic Fund	875.73	505.28	370.45

Respectfully submitted,

H. DANA TAYLOR
Custodian of Funds

1967 — 1968

DISTRIBUTION OF SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Bedford	20.9%	\$ 2,194.50
Hudson	34.4	3,612.00
Litchfield	4.2	441.00
Merrimack	24.7	2,593.50
Pelham	15.8	1,659.00
State of N. H.		4,500.00
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		\$ 15,000.00

**DISTRIBUTION OF
ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY**

Bedford	20.9%	\$ 1,463.00
Hudson	34.4	2,408.00
Litchfield	4.2	294.00
Merrimack	24.7	1,729.00
Pelham	15.8	1,106.00
State of N. H.		2,700.00
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		\$ 9,700.00

**DISTRIBUTION OF
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR'S SALARY**

Bedford	20.9%	\$ 1,170.40
Hudson	34.4	1,926.40
Litchfield	4.2	235.20
Merrimack	24.7	1,383.20
Pelham	15.8	884.80
State of N. H.		2,700.00
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		\$ 8,300.00

MERRIMACK SCHOOL DISTRICT MUSIC FUND

INCOME

Balance on Hand 7-1-65	\$	162.32	
University of N. H. Concert		156.50	
Laconia V. F. W. Parade		85.00	
Gift — Mrs. Stowell		5.00	
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Total Income	\$		408.82

EXPENDITURES

Band:			
Transportation	\$	40.00	
Music		24.50	
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			\$ 64.50
Miscellaneous:			
University of N. H. Band	\$	200.00	
Greenleaf Press		5.00	
Janitor		7.00	
Checking Service Charge		8.34	
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			\$ 220.34
Total Expenditures	\$		284.84
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Balance on Hand 6-30-66	\$		123.98

Respectfully submitted,

MARY C. DONNELLY
Music Supervisor

MERRIMACK SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS

H. Dana Taylor, Principal

Betty-Lou Archambault	Home Economics
Evelyn Barrett	Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Typing
Duane Brown	Art
Norman Brown	Director of Guidance
Yvonne Caron	Mathematics
Judith Cook	U. S. History and Civics
Lawrence Cross	World History and Civics
Rita Devost	Clerical Office Practice, General Business and Typing
Mary Donnelly	Music
Dorothy French	Librarian and Latin
Rita Gobin	English
Shirley Greenleaf	Mathematics
Richard Hall	Science
James Harwood	Contemporary Problems of America, Civics and Sociology
Ronald Mellon	English and English Composition
Millicent O'Leary	Mathematics
Matthew Pitarys	English
John Poor	Biology and Physics
Thomas Robinson	Chemistry and General Science
Conrad Roy	French
Eugene Whittemore	Electricity, Mechanical Drawing and Driver Education

MERRIMACK JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
Teacher Assignments by Subjects and Levels

Math:

Mr. Graves — Grades 6, 7 and 8
Mrs. Carol Day — Grades 5, 6, 7 and 8
Mr. Eric Gonzalez — Grades 5 and 6
Mr. Douglas Hackett — Grades 5 and 6

English:

Miss Janet Mehrtens — Grades 5 and 6
Mr. Ralph Smith — Grade 6
Mrs. Alice Dickinson — Grades 6, 7 and 8
Mr. Steven Francis — Grades 5, 6, 7 and 8
Miss Judith Plaisted — Grade 5

Science:

Mr. Demitrios Perdikis — Grades 6, 7 and 8
Mrs. Elsie Johnson — Grades 6, 7 and 8
Mr. Douglas Hackett — Grades 5 and 7
Miss Gail Greenleaf — Grades 5 and 7

Social Studies:

Mr. John Shean — Grades 5, 6 and 8
Miss Gail Greenleaf — Grade 6
Mrs. Charlotte Mellen — Grade 5
Mr. Pascal Papazoglou — Grades 5, 6 and 7
Mr. Ralph Smith — Grade 8
Miss Ann MacDonald — Grades 5, 6 and 7

Reading:

Mrs. Charlotte Mellen — Grades 5, 6 and 7
Mr. Pascal Papazoglou — Grade 5
Miss Judith Plaisted — Grades 5, 6 and 8
Miss Joan Lester — Grades 5, 6, 7 and 8

JAMES MASTRICOLA SCHOOL

Merrimack, N. H.

Principal, Paul C. Lashua

Grade 1

Miss Grade
Miss Showerman
Mrs. Draper
Miss Pratte
Mrs. Pow
Mrs. Ellingwood
Miss Davis
Mrs. Hodgman
Mrs. Taylor

Grade 2

Miss Noga
Mrs. Doiron
Mrs. Campbell
Miss Yergeau
Miss Vaughan
Miss Perrin
Mrs. Holt
Miss Reed

Grade 3

Mrs. Bennett
Mrs. Gonzalez
Mrs. Shorey
Miss Cameron
Miss Blood
Mrs. Zyla

Grade 4

Miss Schinella

Grade 4 — Merrimack Grammar School

Miss McArdle
Miss Pomerleau

Grade 4 — Merrimack Junior High School

Miss Filteau
Mrs. Margaret Brown
Speech Therapist — Mr. David Meltzer
Music Teacher — Mrs. Mary Donnelly
Art Teacher — Mr. Duane Brown
Reading Specialist — Mrs. Ruth Brown
Guidance Counselor — Mrs. Elizabeth L. Coonley
Handwriting Teachers — Mr. Matava and Mr. Capuccio

**MERRIMACK SCHOOL DISTRICT
REPORT OF ENROLLMENT**

Grade	No. of Pupils 1965-66	No. of Pupils 1966-67	Anticipated 1967-68
1	194	206	225
2	142	188	190
3	124	161	190
4	128	151	160
5	124	143	150
6	103	139	145
7	106	119	140
8	87	109	120
9	75	90	110
10	89	78	90
11	56	72	85
12	58	53	75
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	1,286	1,509	1,680

SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT

Screening Tests:

Vision	910
Hearing	600
Height	850
Weight	850

Communicable Diseases:

Chickenpox	40
Measles	60
Mumps	16
Scarlet Fever	10
Strep throat	12

Clinics:

Pre-school examinations	140
Dr. William Sheehan	
Dr. Luther March	
Dr. Lionel Lavoie	

Athletic Physicals	81
Dr. Roger Dionne	

Immunizations:

Small pox	60
Measles	95

During the past year an Open House at Memorial Hospital in Nashua was attended by a group of high school students interested in health careers. Accompanied by Mr. Norman Brown and myself, the group toured all departments of the hospital and had the function of each department explained in detail by hospital personnel. It was a most rewarding visit.

The students of the Mastricola School participated in a dental health program during dental health week. Toothbrushes, toothpaste, dental coloring books were supplied for this program by Proctor & Gamble Co.

I wish to thank the doctors, nurses and members of the P. T. A. for their assistance at our clinics. With the school enrollment growing so rapidly, their assistance is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR MONTE
School Nurse

MERRIMACK SCHOOL DISTRICT

Statement of Outstanding Indebtedness, Showing Annual

Maturities of Principal and Interest

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1966

Amount	ISSUE #4		ISSUE #5		ISSUE #6		ISSUE #7		ISSUE #8		ISSUE #9	
	Dte. of Iss.	Prin. Dte.	Int. Dtes.	Payable at	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest
	2 3/4%	29%	3.10%	3 1/4%	3 1/4%	3 1/4%	3 1/4%	3 1/4%	3.75%	3.20%	June 15, 1965	
	August 1, 1956	August 1st	June 15, 1958	July 15, 1959	July 15, 1960	August 1st	August 1st	June 1, 1963	June 1st	June 15th		
	August 1st	Feb. & Aug. 1st	Jan. & July 15th	October 1st	Aug. & Feb. 1st	Aug. & Feb. 1st	Aug. & Feb. 1st	June and Dec. 1st	June 1st	June 15th		
	2nd Nat'l. Bank	2nd Nat'l. Bank	Merchants Nat'l. Bk.	2nd Nat'l. Bank	2nd Nat'l. Bank	2nd Nat'l. Bank	2nd Nat'l. Bank	2nd Nat'l Bank	2nd Nat'l Bank	2nd Nat'l Bank		
	Nashua, N. H.	Nashua, N. H.	Boston, Mass.	Nashua, N. H.	Nashua, N. H.	Nashua, N. H.	Nashua, N. H.	Nashua, N. H.	Nashua, N. H.	Nashua, N. H.		
Fiscal Yr.	Principal	Int.	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Int.	Principal	Interest
1967	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 82.50	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 2,139.00	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 243.75	\$ 8,500.00	\$ 5,118.75	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 5,441.25	\$ 23,000.00	\$ 13,984.00
1968			6,000.00	1,953.00	2,500.00	162.50	8,500.00	4,800.00	10,300.00	5,272.50	23,000.00	13,248.00
1969			6,000.00	1,767.00	2,500.00	81.25	8,500.00	4,481.25	10,300.00	4,886.25	23,000.00	12,512.00
1970			6,000.00	1,581.00			8,500.00	4,162.50	8,000.00	4,500.00	23,000.00	11,776.00
1971			6,000.00	1,395.00			8,500.00	3,843.75	8,000.00	4,200.00	23,000.00	11,040.00
1972			6,000.00	1,209.00			8,500.00	3,525.00	8,000.00	3,900.00	23,000.00	10,304.00
1973			5,000.00	1,023.00			8,500.00	3,206.25	8,000.00	3,600.00	23,000.00	9,568.00
1974			5,000.00	852.50			8,500.00	2,887.50	8,000.00	3,300.00	23,000.00	8,832.00
1975			5,000.00	697.50			8,500.00	2,568.75	8,000.00	3,000.00	23,000.00	8,096.00
1976			5,000.00	542.50			8,500.00	2,250.00	8,000.00	2,700.00	23,000.00	7,360.00
1977			5,000.00	387.50			8,500.00	1,931.25	8,000.00	2,400.00	23,000.00	6,624.00
1978			5,000.00	232.50			8,500.00	1,612.50	8,000.00	2,100.00	23,000.00	5,888.00
1979				77.50			8,500.00	1,293.75	8,000.00	1,800.00	23,000.00	5,152.00
1980							8,500.00	975.00	8,000.00	1,500.00	23,000.00	4,416.00
1981							8,500.00	656.25	8,000.00	1,200.00	23,000.00	3,680.00
1982							9,000.00	337.50	8,000.00	900.00	23,000.00	2,944.00
1983									8,000.00	600.00	23,000.00	2,208.00
1984									8,000.00	300.00	23,000.00	1,472.00
1985									8,000.00		23,000.00	736.00
	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 82.50	\$72,000.00	\$13,830.00	\$ 7,500.00	\$487.50	\$131,500.00	\$35,933.87	\$145,100.00	\$57,412.50	\$437,000.00	\$139,840.00

SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCHOOL BUS REGULATIONS FOR SCHOOL PUPILS

1. The school bus driver is in complete charge of the school bus and the pupils and shall have the same authority in maintaining discipline as a teacher in the classroom under the supervision of the school board and superintendent of schools.
2. The pupils must be on time at the designated bus stops to meet the school bus. Since the school bus is operating on a schedule, it cannot wait at any bus stop for children who are not within sight of the stop when the bus arrives.
3. Any unnecessary talking with the school bus operator is prohibited.
4. While ordinary conversation between pupils is permitted, loud, vulgar and other improper language will not be tolerated.
5. Smoking may not be permitted in the school bus. Waste paper and other articles may not be thrown on the floor or out the windows while the pupils are in the bus.
6. Pupils are not permitted to get on or off the bus while it is in motion. The center aisle shall be kept free at all times.
7. Lunch boxes, books and any other bundles carried by the pupils shall be kept on their seats or in a place designated by the school bus operator.
8. Pupils shall go to the rear of the bus when getting on unless assigned to a seat near the front by the school bus driver.
9. The rear emergency door shall be used only in case of emergency.
10. All pupils must be seated in the bus while it is in motion.
11. Any violation of the above approved rules or safety measures made by the school board will be reported to the school authorities who can forbid the offender temporarily or permanently from riding on the school bus.

MERRIMACK SCHOOL DISTRICT

RULES AND REGULATIONS

PERTAINING TO USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES

1. The principal of the school is responsible for the schedule of the use of any school facility.
2. No school facility is to be used when it interferes with the educational schedule or creates a hardship on school personnel
3. The use of alcoholic beverages on school property is prohibited.
4. Smoking will be permitted in restricted areas, namely the Front Lobby and lavatories only.
5. Requests for use of facilities are to be acquired from the building principal and stated in writing.
6. All payments for the rental of facilities shall be payable to the superintendent of Schools, Hudson, N. H.
7. All payments for personnel services shall be made directly to the personnel involved.
8. The three OUTSIDE EXITS in the Auditorium shall be used in case of emergency only. The entrance and exit to the Auditorium shall be through the main lobby only.
9. There shall be no decorations of any kind affixed to any permanent part of the Auditorium. The use of any scenery or props on the stage shall be first approved by the school board.
10. No requests will be considered if a school sponsored or Town government activity is scheduled during the same period requested by an organization.
11. Statement that the organization or function will be in the event of damage to the building or equipment, reimburse the school District within a 30 day period from the date of the damage, the full amount of the cost of repairs or replacement.
12. District organizations may use school facilities free of rental charge provided no admission is charged or donation requested.
13. When admission is charged or donations required the following rental charges will prevail:
 - A. Use of auditorium \$25.00
 - B. Use of auditorium and kitchen \$35.00
 - C. Use of single classroom \$4.00

"NO SCHOOL" SIGNAL

If school is to be called off for any reason there will be notice read over stations WOTW and WSMN in Nashua and WFEA in Manchester 7:30 o'clock in the morning.

Because of the required 180 days of school brings the closing of the school year well into the month of June, it is the feeling of the School Board, that it would be unwise to call off school unless it is impossible for the busses to negotiate their routes. We are asking all parents to use their own discretion sending children to school during a bad storm.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS

The regular monthly meeting of the School Board is held at the James Mastricola School on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:30 P. M. The meeting is open to anyone with complaints or suggestions on the operation of our school system. The only way that the School Board can act on any situation is as a body.

CLOSED SCHOOL YARD

School Street adjacent to the High School and all drive-ways leading to both the High School and Mastricola Elementary School are closed to all traffic except School Busses between the hours of 8:00 A. M. to 9:00 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. to 4:00 P. M. when schools are in session.

ANNUAL SCHOOL BOARD REPORT

Once again, through foresight, cooperation and generosity, the residents of Merrimack have permitted the board to cope with our ever increasing enrollment, expansion requirements and have allowed the extension of curricular activities to broaden and better educate the youth of our town.

While overcrowded conditions exist in certain grades despite the opening of our new Merrimack Senior High School, our faculty has risen to meet the challenge in a most admirable and conscientious manner. We commend them most highly for their diligent efforts and accomplishments.

With the advent of a separate facility for high school students, several new courses were inaugurated, among which was the introduction of Arts and Drafting, where great strides and advancement have been made with children at all grade levels.

The new elementary guidance counseling program has been acclaimed by teachers and administrators as a major step forward in the proper and most adequate placement and direction of our students in the lower grades in order that they may, upon reaching the high school level, be prepared and qualified to make those major decisions which will be so important to their adult life.

While the board expects continued increase in student enrollment for the 1967-1968 school year, we are hopeful that existing facilities will meet the requirements. There should be no doubt in the minds and thinking of our citizens that additional physical plant facilities will be necessary for the September opening of the 1968-1969 session.

At this time, the board wishes to express their appreciation to all residents of Merrimack for their faith and cooperation to the board and to extend, on behalf of the Merrimack School District, gratitude to Mr. Claude Leavitt, Superintendent of Schools and his entire staff for their diligent and successful efforts in making this school year academically strong and economically sound.

A special mention of gratitude and appreciation is in order for Mr. Orrin Connell of Connell Motors for his most generous contribution to our recently inaugurated driver education program. Mr. Connell has donated, without charge, a new vehicle, equipped with dual controls, which he maintains and makes available for student training with the only expense to the District being that of gasoline purchase. We are particularly fortunate in having Mr. Connell's assistance, in that other towns and cities offering driver education must assume a far greater financial burden.

The budget to be presented at the Annual School District Meeting has been carefully analyzed and prepared with a view toward economy, but, not to the extent that our educational program would be weakened by the lack of adequate funds.

The budget has been reviewed by the Budget Committee and is, herewith, presented to the voters of Merrimack, with the sincere desire of the board that, once again, the citizens of Merrimack will approve the budget in the interest of broader and more productive education for our children.

Thank you.

F. J. O'GARA, JR.
JAMES E. CROWLEY
MARY M. MORIARTY

